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EVERY WANT ADVERTISER IN THE NEXT *Sunday Post-Dispatch* Gets a Ticket for an Excursion on Wednesday Evening, June 3. A TRIP ON THE RIVER

NEAR DANGER LINE.

Each Hour Increases the Interest in the Etata Chase.

THE CHARLESTON STEAMING DIRECT FOR CHILIAN WATERS.

A Situation Probable Which Will Test Her Commander's Courage — American Cruisers at Iquique—The Esmeralda Still Clamoring for Coal at Acapulco—The People Alarmed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—The pursuit of the Etata is still on. At least that is the conclusion of the department officials in the absence of any direct information. Interest grows hourly as the ship near Chilian waters. The fact that the Charleston was not heard from last night or to-day at Panama leads to the belief that she did not deviate from the course to touch at that port, but is sailing in a straight line for Payta or Callao, on the coast of Peru. She ought to reach the first-named port to-morrow evening, when she may be heard from, presuming that she has not already overhauled her prey.

If our cruiser had overtaken the insurgent ship shortly after the chase began—and, though while on the high seas, still with both ships near the shores of the United States—the situation would not have been so complicated from a legal point of view, nor probably so difficult and dangerous from the point of view of naval warfare.

Even under these circumstances, however, there would have been a difference of opinion here among international lawyers as to the right of the Charleston to make the arrest. Still the American case would have been a strong one. The Etata had come into one of our ports on an unlawful errand. Having been prevented in time from executing her purpose she had unlawfully run away and, with arms on board, was heading toward the assistance of the enemies of a Government with which the United States is on friendly terms. Thus she would seem to be in some aspects legitimate prey.

But the chase has now been in progress nearly two weeks. Both ships are far to the southward and both must be very near to what may prove the danger line. The Etata presumably is getting into the neighborhood of her friends. The fighting ships of the insurgents will, of course, receive her with open arms, especially if she has a supply of munitions of war on board, and naturally will then protect her to the extent of their abilities.

The question arises, therefore, and is asked here with a good deal of interest: What would the Charleston do under such circumstances? No one doubts the courage of Capt. Remey. He is not only a brave man but a skilful seaman, and may be expected to carry himself under all circumstances with credit to himself and honor to the country.

The story published when he left San Francisco that his orders were to take the Etata if it incurred no risk to his own ship was absurd on its face. Such orders of course would never issue from the Navy Department to the fighting captain of a fighting ship, whose errand necessarily involved both risk and responsibility.

But, admitting the courage of Capt. Remey and the good qualities of the Charleston as a boat of her class, the fact remains that if he were to find himself alongside two or three fighting ships of the Chilian insurgent, able to protect the Etata and determined to do so, he might be ready for no more than a hostile demonstration. He would practically be powerless.

He probably would serve formally a sort of protest against the Etata and demand that she be surrendered to him. That, of course, would not be done, for it is only reasonable to suppose that the insurgents will support one another.

It appears to be plain, therefore, that if the Etata reaches waters where her friends are stationed her safety will be in a measure assured. She has made a good race of it so far and would seem to be a faster boat than was at first assumed. However, the Charleston, with her bunkers freshly filled at Acapulco, may be able to make her best speed and to travel in a surer course from now on.

If news should be received that the Etata had run under cover of insurgent guns and that the Charleston was at hand but unable to take the escaped prisoner, the questions of giving assistance to the cruiser and of what further should be done would be one of the most interesting which the Administration has yet to solve.

The Navy Department is in constant communication with Admiral Brown on the Baltimore at Iquique, presumably the objective point of the Etata, and upon him may devolve the responsible duty of taking possession of the escaped rebel steamer.

CLAMORING FOR COAL.

THE ESMERALDA'S BUNKERS ARE STILL EMPTY —WHAT SHE MAY DO.

ACAPULCO, May 23.—The Esmeralda is clamoring for the coal for which she has paid the Pacific Mail Co., but the Mexican authorities are preventing the shipment or delivery of this coal. The coal is on board a few small transports in the harbor and, according to superior orders received by the military commander, federal troops are on the transports to prevent the Chilians from taking the coal.

As the Esmeralda has absolute necessity for fuel, it is feared there will be a conflict. The people of Acapulco are much alarmed, because the Esmeralda is sufficiently powerful to destroy a portion of the town, which is only protected by a small garrison and a few old cannons. Nothing has been heard from the Charleston and Etata since the Charleston's departure.

HER CAPTAIN GROWING DESPERATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—The coal bunkers of the Esmeralda are still empty. Official advice received at the State Department, however, show that her officers still have designs on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s coal pile. They are growing desperate, and they are not above trickery to accomplish their object. A dispatch from the Vice-Consul at Acapulco states that the captain came ashore yesterday morning and represented that he had just received word from Iquique that the Etata matter had been settled to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. In the light of this information he begged that he be allowed to receive coal in order that the ship might immediately return to Chili. He did not get the coal. The Consul did not bite, and he is probably glad he did not, for he soon learned from Washington the Etata matter had not been settled, and that great care must be exercised to prevent further complications which might ensue should the Esmeralda succeed in getting coal from the American company.

The present embarrassing situation of the Esmeralda brings forcibly to mind the comparatively helpless condition of the modern war vessel when debarred from full access to a coal depot. It likewise emphasizes the necessity of the United States Government making provision for a like state of affairs with regard to its cruisers in the event of international complications. As our navy is placed to-day there are not many points outside of United States territory where an American vessel can ship coal except through the courtesy of a merchant or the permission of some foreign government. There are many points visited by our cruisers in which the only coal obtainable is held either directly by a foreign power or is at the option of that power, and in case of strained relations existing between our Government and the one holding the coal our warships would be placed in the unpleasant predicament of the Esmeralda.

In marked contrast with our own status in this regard is the situation of England. That Government's cruisers are assured of coaling facilities in whatever portion of the earth their duties call them. In addition to the regular Government coal depots the English Admiralty reserves to itself the right to use any fuel in store belonging to any English steamship company subsidized in any way by the Government.

MUST PRODUCE THE TELEGRAMS.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 23.—In accordance with a request of the Federal Grand-jury Judge Ross has issued an order directing Frank Jaynes, Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Co., to produce all the telegrams in his possession which passed between Ricardo Trumbull and George A. Bent relating to the schooners Robert and Minnie or the steamship Etata between dates of April 1 and May 15.

DID NOT OFFER MEDIATION.

LONDON, May 23.—It has been learned that the Admiral commanding the British fleet in Chilian waters only offered his services to adjust minor differences. He was not authorized to offer British mediation between the Chilian Government and the leaders of the Congressional forces.

STORMED THE CUSTOM-HOUSE.

IQUIQUE, May 23.—The Government steamers Imperiali, Almirante Condell and Sarjente Aldea landed 200 men in Talta l Thursday and stormed the Custom-house. That place is now in the hands of the Government forces.

ARKANSAS EDITORS.

A Junketing Party Spends the Day in St. Louis.

St. Louis was to-day invaded by a delegation of the members of the Arkansas Press Association, fifty of whom, accompanied by their wives and ladies, arrived at the Union Depot on the early Iron Mountain train this morning. The association has just concluded its annual session at Batesville, Ark., and the members are out on a pleasure jaunt.

Those composing the party are as follows: J. W. Adams, *Graphic*, Pine Bluff; W. S. Burnett and wife, *World*, Helena; Allen W. Clark, *Democrat*, Little Rock; Adam Clark and wife, *Standard*, Arkadelphia; Mrs. G. M. Beck, *Herald*, Arkadelphia; J. H. Dye and wife, *Reporter*, Little Rock; W. W. Folsom, *Pilot*, Augusta; J. W. Gardner and wife, *Picayune*, Prescott; J. R. Jobe, *Beacon*, Searcy; B. F. Jobe and daughter, *Democrat*, Russellville; E. Landvoight, *Times*, Forrest City; E. G. Moore and wife, *Herald-Journal*, Clarksville; W. A. H. McDaniel, *Press*, Paragould; C. R. Newman and wife, *Times*, Harrison; J. T. Page, *News*, Warren; I. M. Partridge, *Sentinel*, Fayetteville; W. E. Spencer and wife, *Sun*, Clarendon; George Thornburg and daughter, *Masonic Trowel*, Little Rock; J. W. Underhill and wife, *Log Cabin*, Conway; E. L. Vadakin, *Times*, Forrest City; J. W. Weaver and wife, Van Buren; A. W. Davies and sister, *Banner*, Magnolia; R. E. Kerr, *Citizen*, Searcy; W. C. Theo. Smith, and wife, *Chronicle*, Stuttgart; H. A. Turner, *Democrat*, Locksburg; Mrs. Sue L. James and daughter, *Bulletin*, Hot Springs; George H. Lower and wife and Mrs. Mary E. Bonbell, *Graphic*, Hot Springs; J. G. Holland and wife, *Beacon*, Searcy; W. R. Jones and wife, *Echo*, Yellville, Ark.; Miss Rosa Bennett, *Methodist*, Little Rock; R. S. Deener and wife, *Rural Workman*, Little Rock; R. L. Patterson and daughter, *Banner*, Magnolia; Phil Deitzgen and wife, *Statts Zeitung*, Little Rock; Z. F. Daniel, and wife, *Index*, Corning; E. P. McCall, *Herald*, Camden; Arthur Murry, *Press Eagle*, Pine Bluff; Emmett Rogers, *Sun*, Jonesboro; Frank Ibbotson and wife, *Times*, Ozark.

The excursionists disbanded at the Union Depot and will spend to-day in St. Louis. Many will view the parks, many will attend the Sunday-school festival, and many more will see the circus. To-night they will leave for the East, stopping at Cincinnati, Washington, Niagara Falls and other points of interest before their return.

SHOT BY SOLDIERS.

The Execution of a Cavalry Officer in Mexico.

EL PASO, Tex., May 23.—Second Lieutenant Salvator Estuperron of the Thirteenth Mexican Cavalry was executed on the 19th, the details reaching here yesterday. The military offense for which he died was that of having engaged a pistol at a superior officer during a quarrel at Caderyto, a village on the Gulf road. The officer was subsequently murdered by private soldiers, and Lieut. Estuperron was tried by court-martial and sentenced to death. The murder of the officer with whom he had quarreled probably prevented President Diaz from pardoning the young Lieutenant, although the Captain of the troops had killed the murderer on the spot. The execution was marked by imposing ceremonies. Its hour was kept a secret until the very night set.

At 4 o'clock a. m., a high note called the garrison into line. The Thirteenth Cavalry, on foot, with the instruments of the band muffled, the Fifth Cavalry and the Fifth Infantry, formed a square, with the barracks wall as the fourth side. The General and staff stood in the center, and when the troops where called to attention the sentence was read, the General closing the reading with the following announcement:

If any man moves in the ranks or gives any expression of sympathy with the prisoner or fault with the sentence he shall be committed to prison from one to five years, depending on the gravity of the offense.

The tolling of a distant church bell announced the approach of a company of the Thirteenth with the prisoner at its head. By his side marched a priest. Arrived at a small elevation twenty feet from the barracks walls he halted, his company filing past and forming four files deep in front. Then two lines of six men each advanced, the second halted, the first moved to within ten feet of the prisoner. The clock struck 5.

"I have looked too often in the face of death to fear him now!"

With those words the young Lieutenant waved off his Captain who had advanced to bandage his eyes.

"Shoot straight for my heart, but do not strike my face," said the doomed man, calmly removing his cavalry hat. "Adieu!"

The Captain's sword flashed in the air and the firing detail came to a "ready." A second sword flash and the rifles were aimed. The blade dropped with the point touching the ground and six spurts of flame burst from the muzzles. Lieut. Estuperron sprang into the air with three bullets in his heart.

The Surgeon stepped to his side and felt the pulse; at a command from the Captain, a soldier advanced, placed his rifle against the prostrate officer's head and fired. It was the "coup de grace." The bugles sounded and the troops filed past the dead body.

An Army of Caterpillars.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—A special to the *Journal* from Mantako, Minn., tells of an army of caterpillars about eight miles from that place which have delayed all trains of the Milwaukee road. Millions of caterpillars come out on the track and sun themselves and are ground into grease. They have infested the locality for two weeks past, destroying many fruit trees.

CALLING FOR AID.

Pleas for the Relief of Aged Presbyterian Clergymen.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION OF THE DETROIT GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Dr. Briggs' Case Not Yet Reported Upon—In the Hands of a Committee—Rev. J. K. McCurkin Will Desert His Post—He Makes a Public Statement of His Reasons.

DETROIT, Mich., May 23.—After prayer-meeting and some miscellaneous business at the Presbyterian General Assembly this morning ten minutes were assigned between the first and second order of the day to the representative of the Evangelical Church of Italy.

Dr. H. C. Cook of Philadelphia took up the first order—the report of the committee on a seal for the assembly. He defended the serpent on the cross from those who regard it ugly and a symbol of Satan. Its further consideration was made the first order for Monday morning.

Rev. Mr. Luioi Angelini, the representative of the Evangelical Church of Italy, formerly a priest, began with the salutation, "They of Italy salute you." The Free Church of Italy originated from Bibles smuggled in by traveling tradesmen when its sale was unlawful. He gave facts showing the health and vigor of the churches despite their poverty, giving over $2 per member.

The moderator hoped the period of persecution in Italy was passed and bade Mr. Angelini Godspeed.

MINISTERIAL RELIEF.

The order of the day, ministerial relief, was taken up. The committee reported a balance, instead of a deficit as usual heretofore, in the treasury of $19,697.49, the total receipts being $64,000. The maximum annual sum per minister was fixed by the assembly at $800 and the average paid was nearly $280. Rev. Dr. Catteli, Secretary of the Board, made an eloquent appeal for this object. He alluded with great feeling to the former habitual and very remarkable neglect of this most important work. More than half the churches take collections for it. He protested against its being regarded as a charity. It is the absolute demand of justice and honesty that we should not leave faithful ministers, worn out or disabled in the service, or their widows and families to suffer for food and shelter, and it is not always the poor who neglect, but often the rich. He contrasted with them a poor widow who divided 50 cents that she had earned by a hard day's work, and gave half to prevent such a shame to our great and wealthy church. The average salary of office of the fifty-eight aided ministers are nearly 49 and their own average is over 78. "Suppose they were here on this platform, would not we all rise to do them honor? Why should we in sheer thoughtlessness allow them to bear the mortification of our apparent lack of respect for their heroic half century of sacrifice?" He drew a pathetic picture of the sufferings of one of the most honored and useful of these ministers who had faced every kind of privation in the early days in Wisconsin.

Elder George Junkin of Philadelphia made a strong argument that "we should not let our action depend upon the accident of our feelings being stirred up by the pathetic features of the situation. We must act upon principle in this matter if we would give us the great blessing of a sufficient supply of qualified ministers. What would be our present condition but for the work done by ministers and their families? Think of the maximum, $800. Is that enough for men who must spend ten of the best years in getting an expensive education and all the rest of their working years in arduous work in which money cannot as a rule be laid up. We must get this whole matter laid on our conscience. It is a point of honor to pay honest debts and this is a debt of honor if there was ever one. A word as Elders: Ministers are often ashamed what sensitive in pressing for collections for this subject. It ought not to be so but it is natural. Now here is a duty for us. We ought to see to it that the truth about this matter is put before the business men with whom we are associated. Study this subject, as it is presented in this earnest printed report; I have studied it, my heart burning more and more over it for twenty-five years. If I am hot about it that is my apology. Begin an advance all along the line in supporting the cost of our work by putting that of the aged in a solid foundation of adequate pecuniary resource."

BILLS AND OVERTURES.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures recommended the reference of certain overtures to their appropriate committees, and that generally overtures that clearly belong to a particular committee should, by a standing assembly, be given by the stated clerk directly to the chairman of those committees without being delayed by passing through other hands. Adopted.

In view of the early hour at which the excursion to Ann Arbor leaves (1:15 local time), the adjournment was voted for noon.

Elder Lyman of Washington, D. C., said that in his presbytery there had been a necessity of getting ministers and sessions educated up to the idea of affording every member an opportunity of contributing to every one of the boards with full light as to its claims. "I believe that when you do this people will give." He deprecated the omission of contributions for a particular boa rd "just because we do not like its management for the time being."

A long standing matter of pecuniary obligations to the church at Jacksonville, Fla., was referred to the Financial Committee, with instructions to report early next week. Adjourned until Monday, 9 a. m.

THE BAPTISTS.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING OF THE PUBLICATION SOCIETY.

CINCINNATI, O., May 23.—The American Baptist Publication Society continued its sixty-seventh anniversary meeting to-day. Rev. Mr. Steelman of Mexico spoke on the needs of that field. He said a great many difficulties have been overcome by the extension of business. The population requires Evangelistic work in Spanish. A portion of the morning session was given to publications.

The first address was made by Rev. A. C. Dixon of Hanson Place Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., on "The Printed Page." He advocated the printing of the pastors' sermons for distribution by the church among non-church goers.

Rev. G. Lawson, D. D., of New Jersey, delivered an address on "Books—The Pastor's Helpers in Training Church Members." Reference was made to the missionary biographical series recently written by Rev. Dr. W. Ketch, formerly of Cincinnati but now of Philadelphia. "We cannot," said the speaker, "leave to others the exposition of our principles; they do not know us well enough."

The society took a recess, and went in procession to the Central Union Station, where special services were held at the new "Chapel car" just given to the society by generous Baptists. The car presentation was made by Rev. Wayland Hoyt, D. D., of Minnesota, who gave a history of the origin of this evangelical idea. It is very substantially built. Some railroads will carry the car and its missionary Boston W. Smith with one other free of all expenses. It will be a distributing car of Christian literature as well as a place for meetings.

The acceptance address was made by Boston W. Smith, missionary of the society. Remarks were also made by Rev. Dr. Armitage, Vice-President. The prayer of dedication was offered by Rev. W. T. Chase, D. D., of Boston.

WILL LEAVE HIS CHURCH.

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY REV. J. K. M'CLURKIN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 23.—Rev. J. K. McClurkin of the Reformed Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Allegheny has made public an announcement of his intention to resign the chair of Theology and History in the institution at the coming meeting of the synod in this city May 27. The reason given for thus abandoning his church and place is that young Reformed Presbyterian ministers had been suspended from the church for voting at a political election, and that they would probably be expelled from the synod. In his resignation the Rev. McClurkin says:

My action is the outcome of a candid, thoughtful investigation of the attitude of the church toward the Government of our country and of the illusive distinctions by which this attitude has of late been advocated. After searching the constitutional history of the United States, after studying her Christian laws, religious customs and Supreme Court interpretations, realizing as I do that the ballot-box is the place where Christian convictions must be expressed if righteous laws are to send their life-giving influences throughout our Republic, I have been forced to the conclusion that the individual conscience of the American citizen should be allowed to decide as to the duty of casting a ballot for a righteous ruler.

The probabilities are that the Rev. McClurkin will leave the Reformed Presbyterian Church and go over to the United Presbyterian side. The split, already bad, is growing worse and may approach the trouble of 1833, which occurred under almost similar circumstances.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

DECATUR, Ill., May 23.—The Woman's Missionary Association of the United Brethren Church of America adjourned yesterday to meet at Indianapolis next year. It was decided to put Mrs. J. L. Stevens in charge of the work of the association at Berlin, to send six more missionaries to Africa and three more to China; one of these to China shall be a lady physician. The delegates voted for the nine trustees who shall elect the new officers, but by constitutional provision the vote can only be counted at Dayton. The ballots were sent there by a special messenger.

QUEER FREAKS OF CHARACTER.

Wealthy Neighbors Who Devote Their Lives to Annoying Each Other.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 23.—Clerk of the State Senate John D. Kenyon of this city has just made a purchase of real estate in this city involving an investment of $180,000. The purchase was effected through an agent, who had the original owner known the real purchaser, he would not have parted with the property for love or money. The plot adjoins the apartment building owned by Clerk Kenyon in a fashionable quarter of the city. The owner of the ground was Chas. C. Blair, a note broker and private banker, who also built an apartment building adjoining Kenyon's. The lines of division between the possession of Mr. Kenyon and the Blairs was so curious that they for six years waged war upon each other by adding to the height of their respective buildings and by filling up their places with brick and mortar to shut out the light. The trouble grew out of an entrenchment on the property of the Blairs by the Kenyons when they first built. As the Blairs made the Kenyons pay dearly for this an enmity was engendered which has developed the queerest freaks of human character. The Kenyons raised a fence of corrugated iron twenty feet high against the windows of Blair's house and built a dead wall of solid brick ten feet high on a roof to further intercept the sunlight. When the Blairs erected a band-box of a structure, six stories high, in a position to allow its tenants to peek into the windows of the Kenyons' apartments, and called it for "Tom, Dick and Harry" to make their intentions the more evident, the Kenyons retaliated in a unique way. They put up a fence running out to the street, and on it painted three red balls, symbolical of the business in which Mr. Blair is engaged, the sign being so placed that it was visible in connection with Mr. Blair's house. The sign was for several weeks one of the curiosities of the town.

It is said that the warring families have spent at least $25,000 each in venting their spite on one another. The purchase just consummated gives Kenyon in possession of the field, as he can now virtually inclose the Blairs and render their building as dark as a pocket.

FIRE RECORD.

Destructive Blaze in a Factory at Richmond, Va.—A Collision.

RICHMOND, Va., May 23.—The building of the Southern Manufacturing Co., E. G. Lee, President, at Seventeenth and Dock streets, was completely destroyed by fire last night. The company were manufacturers of ground coffee, hominy, spices and flavoring extracts. Loss on stock and machinery between $35,000 and $40,000; fully insured.

The building was owned by Davenport & Morris, grocers and importers, whose large warehouse adjoining the burning building was for a long time seriously threatened with destruction. Loss, $15,000; insured.

The Laurel street hook and ladder truck, while on its way to the fire, and an electric car filled with passengers collided. J. H. Powell had his right leg broken, Walter Garthright was badly cut about the face, and Driver J. H. Gibbs of the truck had his fingers broken.

AT RICHMOND, KY.

CINCINNATI, O., May 23.—A Richmond (Ky.) dispatch says: At 4 o'clock yesterday flames were discovered in the third story of Hotel Glyndon. The hotel building and the large building of Burnham & Chenault were destroyed. The Glyndon building was occupied by the Western Union Telegraph Co., Mackey's barber shop, A. G. Woods' drug store and the Collins furniture store. The other building was occupied by F. Weickesser & Co.'s confectionery and dining-hall, Covington & Mitchell's clothing-house, Dr. A. E. Anits's medical office, Smith & Moberly's law office, Dr. G. W. Evans' medical office, Evans & Scobee' real estate office, the District Internal Revenue office, A. E. Burman, collector, and B. W. Turner, dry goods. Total loss, $80,000; insurance, $30,000.

Landers Inquest.

Coroner Irwin held an inquest to-day in the case of James Landers, who was killed on last Thursday night at his home, 925 South Twenty-third street. Landers, it will be remembered, quarreled with Henry Treadway over the attentions which the latter was paying to a young woman in the Landers house. When Treadway called that night young Landers ordered him away and in the trouble which followed, Landers was shot in the head and instantly killed. Both of the parties are colored, Landers being the son of Rev. Cass Landers, a Baptist minister of more or less notoriety. No warrant has yet been issued against Treadway. The defendant is still in the Four Courts holdover.

June 3.

Bear in mind that every want advertiser in to-morrow's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH gets a ticket for an evening on the river, on June 3.

STAR RUBBER CO.

The Firm Involved to the Extent of Half a Million Dollars.

OTHER HOUSES IN THE TRADE AFFECTED BY THE EMBARRASSMENT.

The Hill Shoe Co. Failure at Memphis—Card From a Massachusetts Firm—The Davis Collapse—Looking for the Missing Insurance Brokers—Philadelphia's Treasurer—Business Troubles.

TRENTON, N. J., May 23.—The Star Rubber Co. is in financial difficulty. The officers of the company are: Jonathan Steward, President; Philip Dunn, Treasurer and Thomas A. Bell, Secretary and Manager. Woodbury D. Holt, counsel for Mr. Steward, said to a reporter that it was true that the company was in trouble. There has been a contraction of credits, he said, and the company's liabilities are more than it can meet at the instant. Secretary Bell, he added, had informed him that the company could pay $2 for every one it owed. It is said that preferences will be given as follows: Jonathan Steward, $120,000; Thomas A. Bell, $70,000; Philip Dunn, $20,000; W. J. Vannest, $50,000. These capitalists are behind several rubber and crockery concerns, all of which are affected by the condition of the Star, whose liabilities may foot up $500,000.

ATTACHED THE STOCK.

BOSTON, Mass., May 23.—G. S. Knowles, selling agent of the Star Rubber Co. of Trenton, N. J., reported this morning to be in financial trouble has placed an attachment on the stock to secure personal claims amounting to between $30,000 and $40,000 for advances that he has made on the goods sent him by the company. Mr. Knowles says he has had no official information whatever of the reported failure and learned of it only from the newspapers.

MISSING BROKERS.

SATTERLEE AND MARTIN STILL MISSING—WORKING ON THE ACCOUNTS.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Those persons who are looking for Messrs. Satterlee and Martin of the Insurance brokerage firm of Satterlee, Bostwick & Martin are still engaged in the search, as neither of these men has been seen since last Tuesday, the day on which the firm made an assignment to Abraham Codington. Mr. Bostwick, who by insurance men generally is looked upon as the "injured partner," is the only member of the firm who has had the courage to face his business associates. He is doing all in his power to assist the assignee to figure out the firm's condition. He was at the office in Cedar street yesterday for a long time, and he said he did not know where his partners were. Mr. Codington is working hard on a statement of the firm's condition, but nothing could be learned from him as to when he would have the statement ready. At the office of Smith & Perkins, the attorneys for the assignee, it was denied positively by Mr. Perkins that they had any knowledge either of Satterlee or of Martin. Mr. Satterlee, he said, was a sick man when the assignment was made. Satterlee was the Treasurer of the Smith Infirmary, on Staten Island, and his accounts there are in a decidedly mixed condition. He is said to be at least $2,500 short. E. C. Bridgeman, the Secretary of the Board of Trustees, yesterday gave out this statement: Treasurer L. Satterlee has turned over to the Finance Committee, Aquila Rick, James W. Davis and Charles F. Zeutgrett, all the securities and the accounts are now being adjusted by the committee.

An investigation of his accounts was made in the second week of April and then they were found to be about $2,400 out of the way. Mr. Martin, the absconding partner, it is said, was a curb-stone broker years ago, and then become acquainted with "Jim" Fiske, through whom he obtained the Erie insurance.

F. F. Baddall, the Manager of the Royal Insurance Co., said yesterday that Satterlee, Bostwick & Martin were not the special agents of that company; that all communications with the brokers were severed ten years ago.

TREASURER BARDSLEY'S SHORTAGE.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 23.—Bank Examiner Drew made a very singular statement in an interview yesterday in reference to the $980,000 which Treasurer Bardsley says he placed on deposit in the defunct Keystone bank. He expressed a doubt that the sum was as large as stated and declared there was no evidence that it was. He further intimated that he knew the exact amount but as the City Controller had not given him permission to state it to the Council's committee he did not feel at liberty to inform the newspapers.

From the drift of his answers to questions the inference is broad that the examiner knew the actual amount of the State money on deposit was far less than given in Bardsley's statement. Mr. Drew also expressed the belief that the due bills now held by Mr. Bardsley are hardly of any value. The State he said was neither a preferred nor deferred creditor, all depositors under the national banking law taking equal chances.

THE HILL FAILURE.

LYNN, Mass., May 23.—Hon. Joseph Davis states positively the Davis Shoe Co. never owed the Hill Shoe Co. of Memphis a dollar. On the contrary, the Memphis company owe the Davis Shoe Co. heavily. Mr. Davis further states he and and the Davis Co. recently found themselves obliged to cease helping the Memphis concern financially and then came the inevitable failure of the Hill Shoe Co.

POTTER, WHITE & BAILEY'S CARD.

BOSTON, Mass., May 23.—Potter, White & Bailey, which firm has been prominent in the public prints as a creditor of the Hill Shoe Co. of Memphis for a large amount, publish a card to-day in which they say in part: "We have security that we have held for a long time and that we consider unavailable, and in any event our net loss cannot be more than $30,000 or $40,000 and will not impair our ability to meet every obligation." The firm will shortly publish a statement of assets and liabilities.

LOGAN D. DAMEROM'S DEATH.

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Twelve thousand young people ranging in size and age from little toddlers scarcely able to march to young men and women, formed the May Festival Sunday-school parade, which took place this morning and extended from Easton avenue almost to the Fair Grounds, a distance of more than a mile. It was a magnificent affair and a success in every way. According to the programme the procession was to start at 9:30 o'clock "sharp," but it was after 10 o'clock when the bugler on Washington and Grand avenues sounded the command to move. All was bustle and confusion just prior to the start. From all directions came bands of children to join the big army on the broad avenue, carrying banners and flags. Delegations of late comers from the mission district in North and South St. Louis, on whom the Grand Marshal was waiting, rolled by on the Washington avenue cars to take their place farther down the line. They were hailed with cheers and shouts by the children who had been standing on the street and sidewalk an hour. Grown folks and parents were in charge of the detachments and found it a great task to keep the brood together.

THE CHILDREN'S PRANKS.

The children would run across the street to see their friends and narrowly escape the hoofs of horses or the front end of passing street cars. Some would drop their flags from the car windows and attempt to tumble off and recover them at the peril of their lives. Others insisted on patting the flanks of nervous horses regardless of the danger of sudden death. Several narrow escapes were noticed where heavy delivery wagons were allowed to drive along the avenue, which was packed on both sides with little folks. Luckily no accidents happened to mar the pleasure of the day, and everyone in the immense throng seemed happy except the few careless ones who bemoaned the loss of their car tickets or spending money which they had been intrusted with.

THE PROCESSION MOVES.

When the band began to play and the procession moved the divisions fell into line with an ease and rapidity that would reflect credit on a body of militia, though no particular attention was paid to step or uniformity of rank or line. The Grand Avenue Presbyterian Sunday-school Cadets formed the van of the parade and set a pace which the little ones kept up with only by running, and this caused several breaks in the long line and some halts. There were quite a number of drill corps in the line, arranged in a way which made the parade attractive throughout. The Grand Avenue Presbyterian Cadets were well equipped. They drilled with swords and went through the maneuvers of the drill on the march. The most attractive drill corps in the line was the Broom Brigade composed of 100 young girls from 12 to 18 years of age from all the mission Sunday-schools. They wore a neat uniform, black dress, white waist partially hidden by a black gold braided Gretchen waist and a University cadet-topped hat with black tassel. They carried new silvered-handled brooms, and were very well drilled in Upton tactics. They were under the command of Mr. O. A. Kelly, assisted by Lieuts. Misses Clara Riesse, Ida Smith, Nellie Sheldon, Emma Wiehen, Ada Cole, Lizzie Joyce, Lizzie Chadwick, and Luella Hendricks. Following the Broom Brigade were the Messiah Mission Zouaves, a company of fifty boys, ranging from 7 to 15 years of age dressed in regulation zouave costumes and carrying miniature muskets. Further down the line appeared the Messiah Mission Vivendiers, a company of about fifty young girls dressed in Zouave costume and well drilled in the peculiar Zouave tactics. The Union Congregational Sunday-school Drill Corps was a strikingly handsome body of girls dressed entirely in white and carrying white wooden swords. They were commanded by Mr. T. B. Moore and accompanied by the pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. Bartlett.

At Easton avenue Mayor Noonan made his appearance at the head of the procession but did not march to the grounds. His carriage conveyed him to the main entrance, where he stationed himself and reviewed the parade as it passed through the big gate. While the procession was passing Grand and Easton avenues Capts. Robert McKinney, General Manager of the Citizens' road, stationed himself at the corner and stopped all cars, though the line was half an hour in passing.

FIRST DIVISION.

The first division with white colors formed on Delmar east of Grand, and were led by Grand Marshal Wm. Randolph, followed on foot by J. H. McClain, President; T. J. Bryan, Treasurer, and John H. Spinning of the Sunday-school Superintendents' Union. The line being headed by five foot police. Sixteen Sunday-schools were represented in the division, being as follows:

First Congregational, Aubert Place Congregational, Central Christian, First Presbyterian, Grand Avenue Presbyterian, Cook Avenue M. E. South, Delmar Avenue Baptist, St. Peter's Episcopal, St. Mark's Memorial, West St. Louis Presbyterian, Church of Ascension (Episcopal), Cabanne Baptist, Non-Sectarian Sunday-School, Grand Avenue Union Presbyterian, Cote Brilliant Presbyterian.

The special feature of this division was the display made by the Grand Avenue Presbyterian Sunday-School cadets, who occupied the place of honor directly in the rear of the leaders. Carl I. Ingerson was the marshal of the division.

SECOND DIVISION.

Dark blue was the color carried by the second division, which formed on Morgan, just east of Grand avenue, and was one of the most extensive divisions in line, a small section, composed of five Sunday-schools, forming on Cass avenue. This division was under the marshalship of E. F. V. Ritter, assisted by Paul Jones. Participating Sunday-schools: Second Baptist, Pilgrim Congregational, Chinese Sunday school, Church of Holy Communion, Trinity Episcopal, St. Mark's English Lutheran, Union Methodist, St. John's M. E. South, Glasgow Avenue Presbyterian, Compton Avenue Presbyterian, Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian, Church of the Messiah, New Church Chapel, First Christian, Chinese Mission (First Christian), First M. E. South. The five schools forming under Mr. Jones on Cass avenue were: Third Baptist, Jefferson Avenue Mission, Cass avenue Mission, Taylor Avenue Mission, Grand Avenue Baptist.

There was a total of twenty-three schools in line.

THIRD DIVISION.

The third division formed on Grand avenue south of Delmar, the right resting on Delmar, Robert L. Guerney, Division Marshal, and consisted of about 500 visiting and suburban Sunday-school scholars. In this division there were a number of appropriate banners, and those marching did well considering their lack of instructions. The division color was pink.

FOURTH DIVISION.

The fourth division formed on Bell avenue, east of Grand, their colors being scarlet. Burton Harrison was marshal, and constituted of the following Sunday-schools, sixteen in number: Bethel Mission, Central Church, Chinese Mission, Second Presbyterian, Reformed Presbyterian, Centenary M. E. South, Swedish Congregational, St. George's Episcopal, Christ Church Cathedral, St. Luke's German Evangelical, Brank's Mission (Presbyterian), Church of the Holy Ghost, Children's Free Hospital, Broadway Mission (Baptist), People's Tabernacle.

This division had a splendid turnout, some of the largest representative schools in the city marching behind its banners.

FIFTH DIVISION.

The colors floated by the fifth division were scarlet and white, the forming being done on Page avenue, west of Grand, Robert Rutledge being division marshal. The boy scouts of the Messiah Mission led off with their parti-colored suits and in light guns followed, and the Broom Brigade of pretty young girls from the various missions followed, presenting one of the most attractive sights beheld in the entire line. Participating Sunday-schools:

United Presbyterian, Church of the Advent (Episcopal), Emanuel German Lutheran, Bethania German Evangelical, Messiah Mission, Salem Methodist Episcopal, Dr. Brooks' Mission, St. Peter's German Evangelical, Third Congregational, Liberty Evangelical Mission, Biddle Market Presbyterian.

SIXTH DIVISION.

There were about 500 paraders behind the red banner of the Sixth Division, which was composed of the colored Sunday-schools of the city and vicinity. J. W. Ferguson, the division marshal, formed this part of the parade on Evans avenue and Francis street, the right on Grand avenue. The same character of banners characterized this division as the others.

SEVENTH DIVISION.

P. M. Hanson, marshal of the seventh division marched in front of light blue colors, the forming of his division being done on Montgomery and Bacon streets. The following named Sunday schools were represented in this division: Kiedringhaus Mission, Union Congregational, Second Christian, St. John's German Evangelical, Trinity M. E., Fourth Baptist, Independent Evangelical Protestant, First New Jerusalem Church, Eden German M. E., Zion's Lutheran, Grace Episcopal, First German Baptist, Salem Reformed, St. Paul's M. E. South, Gethsemane Mission (Cumberland Presbyterian), Christian Mission, First M. E. South, New Jerusalem Mission, Zion's German Evangelical, North Presbyterian, M. E. Mission, St. Louis Branch (Mormon).

This division was led by a drill corps of young ladies uniformed in cream white outing dresses, from the Union Congregational Church. They presented a fine appearance as they marched along Grand avenue, receiving many compliments.

EIGHTH DIVISION.

The Eighth Division formed on the north side of St. Louis avenue, being marshaled by Elmer E. Lacy, being one of the prettiest divisions in line. It consisted of the following Sunday schools: Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Congregational, Water Tower Baptist, Lee Avenue Presbyterian Mission, Fourth Christian, Water Tower M. E., Second German Presbyterian, "Zoar" German M. E., Lowell M. E. Mission, St. Jacob's German Evangelical, Church of the Covenant (Presbyterian), German Lutheran, Frienders German Evangelical, St. Paul's German Lutheran, German Evangelical Lutheran, Third Congregational, First German Congregational, Central Presbyterian, Goode Avenue Methodist Episcopal, St. James Episcopal, Plymouth Congregational, Spring Avenue United Presbyterian, Salem German Evangelical.

NINTH DIVISION.

The ninth and last division was a monster parade in itself, being composed of a total of forty-one Sunday-schools. It formed on the south side of St. Louis avenue and extended several blocks. H. W. Prentiss acted as marshal, the following named Sunday-schools participating: Lafayette Park Baptist, Lafayette Park M. E., Soulard Mission, St. Mark's German Evangelical, St. Paul's German Evangelical, Church of the Unity, St. Luke's M. E., Westminster Presbyterian, Fifth Christian, Episcopal Mission, Victor Street M. E. South, St. John's Episcopal, Good Shepherd (Episcopal), Marvin Chapel M. E., South; Olive Branch Congregational, St. Matthew German Evangelical, Ebenezer German Evangelical, Church of the Holy Cross (German), Mount Calvary Episcopal, Compton Hill Congregational, Gravois Mission Presbyterian, Memorial Congregational Sunday-school, Christ Church (German Lutheran), German Baptist Mission, Bethlehem German Evangelical, Reorganized Church (Mormon), Lafayette Park Presbyterian, Second German, Bohemian Mission, Bethany Congregational, Trinity German Lutheran, Evangelical Reorganized Church (Mormon), Carondelet Baptist, German Evangelical, Trinity German Lutheran, St. Paul's Episcopal, Carondelet Mission, The Ascension Episcopal, Carondelet Methodist Episcopal (South), Carondelet Presbyterian, Y. P. S. C. E. Mission, First German Presbyterian.

MARCHING TO THE FAIR GROUNDS.

The entire procession was not in line until a large portion of the first half was inside the Fair Grounds. Nothing of even the most minor character occurred to mar the occasion. While passing the review stand, erected just outside the Fair Grounds gate, the paraders gave cheer after cheer to the officials and invited guests having seats. The crowd all surrounding the entrance to the Fair Grounds was very large, the police being compelled to clear the way to allow the parade to pass in. By noon the ticket takers said that there were 30,000 people within the grounds, and they were still coming.

AT THE FAIR GROUNDS.

The Fair Grounds this afternoon are a scene of great activity, the panorama of nations attracting a great deal of attention. The idea conveyed by these displays is to give a conception of the countries and people to whom missionaries are sent. The panorama is under the directorship of Isaac H. Orr, the different displays being represented thus:

Cuba, Third Baptist Sunday-school; Egypt, Union Presbyterian; Burmah, Second Baptist; Alaska, Church of the Redeemer; Brazil, Caromdelet Presbyterian; Indian, Third Congregational; India, Bethel Mission; China, First Christian; Japan, West St. Louis Presbyterian. There is also a collection of curios from the Bible lands on exhibition. This afternoon W. E. Stephens gave his Bible exposition from a building called for the occasion The Tabernacle of the Wilderness.

The various churches have booths where lunches and temperance refreshments are served. The grounds present the appearance of a mammoth picnic.

WHITTAKER'S Star Breakfast Bacon is a delicious relish for the breakfast table.

Bit a Piece Out of Her Cheek.

Mary Taylor, a colored woman living at 2929 Florissant avenue, swore out a warrant at the Four Courts to-day, charging Jessie Williams, also colored, with assault and battery. Jessie Williams lives at 3511 Harper street. It is alleged that Mary secured a position which Jessie had been promised. At any rate the two met in a warm embrace in front of 2929 Florissant avenue last night, and Jessie bit a good sized chunk out of Mary's blue black cheek before she could restrain her feeling of demonstrative affection. The defendant has not yet been taken into custody.

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BOTH SIDES WARY.

The Council Combine and the Mayor Watching for Advantageous Points.

NO INDICATION THAT AN EARLY SETTLEMENT IS POSSIBLE.

What the Objecting Councilmen Can Do If They Choose to Display Their Strength—The Nominations That Are Being Held Back by the Committees—The Original "Solid Seven."

Will the Council combine stick? This is the question that now deeply concerns the Noonan Democrats and the one they are continually asking those who are supposed to be posted on the subject. The combine stands eight solid for Holman and seven certain for Lindsay. These Councilmen say they will hold out to the end of Mayor Noonan's term if necessary to get the men they want. By holding out and staying in session all summer they can hold both men in office, even though the Mayor does not want them. The argument advanced by the combine in favor of their stand is that public interests demand the reelection of both Holman and Lindsay. In Holman's case they say it would be bad business policy to turn the Water Department over to a new commissioner, no matter how competent he might be, right in the midst of the work on the new Water Works. With reference to Chief Lindsay the combine is backed by the insurance agents and other extensive interests, which contend that it would be unwise to dispose of an efficient officer, who has spent twenty-six years on the department, simply to let the Mayor fulfill a political obligation. Mike Hester, it appears, contributed to his campaign fund and the Mayor feels that he ought to have the place, though he admits, at the same time, that he promised just before the election to reappoint Capt. Lindsay.

It is now conceded very probable that the combine will also hold together to retain John D. Shaffer, the Superintendent of the House of Refuge. At the Council meeting last night Henry Gulbor, the Mayor's nominee, was twice rejected by a vote of 14 to 6, Councilman Horton being absent. There was no objection to Gulbor further than that Shaffer's continuance in that office was desired by a very considerable portion of the public. The Mayor says he will not reappoint any of the officials he did not name in the first place, and Supt. Shaffer comes under this head. The Council also rejected James Guion for jailer and this leaves Jailer Callahan still in charge of that stronghold. The Mayor's first choice for jailor was E. E. Guion, a son of the nominee rejected last night, but he withdrew this nomination at the younger Guion's request, and sent in the name of the father. The nomination of W. H. Swift for Health Commissioner was not reported and there is no prospect of an early action on it. Councilman Sloan is the chairman of the Sanitary Committee, to which it was referred, and he can hold the report as long as he pleases. He has a precedent for this furnished by Councilman Cullinane, who holds the Chairmanship of the Fire Department Committee. He has held back the nomination of Mike Hester to prevent the combine from giving it the stamp of their disapproval.

PROTRACTED WAR AHEAD.

The opinion is expressed among the officials and politicians generally that the Council combine proposes to give the Mayor all the fight he may desire, until he sends in the names of Holman and Lindsay. This is just what the Mayor says he will not do under any circumstances, even though the deadlock does continue until the end of his term. The combine is now in a position if it cares to assert its power to force the Mayor from filling any of the remaining offices with men of his selection. In addition to the Water Commissionership and Fire Department Chiefship, the offices of Jailer, Building Commissioner, Health Commissioner, Superintendent of the Poor-house and Superintendent of the House of Refuge are still "held by the enemy," to quote the expression of the Noonanites. The combine controls the committees that have these nominations in hand, and it is regarded as very probable that it will use its power, and hold up the nominations indefinately if the Mayor does not make the concessions it asks. On this subject Councilman Sloan says: "The people want Lindsay to stay at the head of the fire department, and they likewise ask the retention of Holman, and in this fight I am going to stay with the people. I don't know what my colleagues may see fit to do, that is none of my affair, but speaking for myself I propose to stand firm on this platform." Arnstein is with the combine for Holman, but is non-committal as to the Lindsay-Hester matter.

THE COMBINE'S POWER.

The Mayor's friends thought up to a short time ago that his Honor could outwit the combine when the Assembly took its summer vacation. They discovered that the Mayor could remove Lindsay and Holman when the Council adjourned for the summer and put men of his own choice in their places. These appointments would have to be confirmed when the session was resumed, but even if they were rejected the incumbents would hold until their successors were confirmed. The combine Councilmen are aware of this and they do not propose to give the Mayor such an opportunity. They have already declared their intention of keeping up the session all summer and until such time as the Mayor sees fit, to make the concessions they ask. They can adjourn from week to week and it is not necessary to have a quorum all the time. They propose to take their vacations and at the same time keep the Council wheels in motion to head off the Mayor if he attempts to oust Holman and Lindsay.

A DEPLETED SCHOOL BOARD.

Probability of Four Vacancies Which Will Not Be Filled.

The death of Dr. Hugo Auler and the probable resignation of three other members of the School Board will leave the board rather badly crippled until the election next November. Dr. Auler's place will not be filled, because a new member would hardly have time to become familiar with the routine of the board before his term would end and a successor be elected for him. For the same reason the other vacancies, if they occur, will not be filled. The resignations expected are those of E. Sessers, Jas. Bannerman, Wm. Knight and Wm. P. Macklin. Mr. Bannerman contemplates moving out of his ward, the First, and should he do so he will be disqualified from representing the ward. Macklin has been appointed Assistant City Counselor, and there is a question whether he has the right to hold both positions. Some contend that he may, and others insist that the acceptance of the appointment compels a forfeiture of the seat in the School Board. If he has to give up one or the other, of course he will resign from the Board. The case of Mr. Knight is decidedly peculiar. He represented the Seventh District, comprising the Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. But Mr. Knight has moved to Guthrie, O. T., where he has been elected Town Commissioner. It is understood that he left his resignation with a friend in St. Louis, to be presented whenever it was wanted. The board has not asked for it, but since he has moved from the city and accepted an office elsewhere the members of the board feel that he should resign. These changes will make it necessary to elect fifteen members at the next election. Dr. Auler and Macklin would have held over, but they are the only ones of the seven directors at large whose terms do not expire this year. There will be seven directors at large to choose, seven from districts and a successor for Mr. Bannerman, if he resigns. The new board will contain but six of the old men, excepting those who will be re-elected. The six hold-overs are Messrs. Henry Troll, Henry Bus, John Sheahan, Richard Bartholdt, Patrick J. Kelly and Walter F. McEntire.

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Married at the Four Courts.

Deputy Sheriff Moore accompanied Robert Newsome to the office of Recorder Hobbs at the Court-house this morning and kept the prisoner in charge while Newsome obtained a license authorizing him to wed Annie Cole. He was then returned to the Four Courts, where, in the presence of a crowd of interested spectators, the couple were united. Judge Claiborne of the Court of Criminal Correction doing the honors of the occasion. Both of the contracting parties are colored.

Newsome, a coachman 20 years old, was arrested yesterday on the strength of a warrant charging him with the betrayal of 14-year-old Annie Cole.

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Henry Shelton Sanford Dead.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Hon. Henry Shelton Sanford, ex-United States Minister to Belgium and late delegate to the Brussels anti-Slavery Conference, died Thursday at Healing Springs, Va.

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DR. AULER'S COLLEAGUES.

The School Board Expresses Its Sorrow for His Death.

The School Board held a meeting at 11 o'clock this morning to take action on the death of Dr. Hugo Auler, a member whose sudden death was a shock to all who knew him. There were present Messrs. Barstow, Bartholdt, Bosley, Brady, Bus, Cudmore, Kelly, McEntire, Macklin, O'Donnell, O'Connor, Richardson, Sheahan and Troll, President Miller presiding. The board then received official notification from Secretary Player of the death of a member, and a committee was appointed to prepare resolutions. The committee was composed of Messrs. Troll, Bartholdt, Richardson, Barstow and Brady. The committee reported resolutions, which were adopted after eulogistic speeches by Messrs. Bosley and Richardson. The resolutions were as follows:

Whereas, Dr. Hugo Auler, an esteemed member of this board, has, in the infinite wisdom of the Creator, been removed from our midst by the hand of death, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this board sincerely mourns the loss of its deceased member, and, knowing his history and public life, considers his death a great loss to this body as well as to the community at large; and be it

Resolved, That in him the public school system loses a true friend and protector, and we, his colleagues, knowing his sterling honesty, his conscientious ideas of public duty, his high sense of honor, and his many virtues of public and private life, do hereby express our great sorrow that the public schools have lost a devoted guardian of their interests; and

Resolved, That as a testimonial of esteem for his services and character we attend his funeral in a body and that the offices of this board be closed at 3 o'clock on the date of burial, and that the Assembly Room be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be presented to the family.

When the resolutions had been adopted and the Secretary had been requested to notify the members of the funeral arrangements, when they were announced the board adjourned.

Dr. Hugo Auler's Death.

Dr. Hugo V. Auler, a prominent member of the School Board and a well known figure in public affairs, died suddenly at his home, No. 1842 South Twelfth street, from a stroke of apoplexy. The day before his death he was apparently in the best of health and had made engagements for the next evening.

Dr. Auler was 49 years of age and was born in Houston, Tex. His parents came to St. Louis in 1848 and Dr. Auler went to the public High School. While he was a medical student the war broke out and he enlisted in the Missouri cavalry, from which service he was transferred to the medical corps and served until taken prisoner in 1863. After a year he was exchanged and served until 1865. He established a practice here and shortly after the war married Miss Maria Brunnelle of this city. He was elected Coroner in 1876 and succeed himself for another term. He was elected to the School Board in 1880 and served one term. In 1889 he was again elected, and it was during the term that he ran against Mr. Charles Miller for the presidency. The fight was carried to the Court of Appeals and decided against Mr. Auler. He was a member of the board at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and four children. He was a member of a number of societies and clubs.

The funeral will be private and quiet and will take place on Monday at 10 o'clock.

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WILLIAMS WANTED.

A Man Arrested in St. Louis Supposed to Be the Springfield Robber.

THE PRISONER TO BE TAKEN BACK TO ILLINOIS.

How the St. Louis Police Worked Up the Case Against Him—The Robberies He Is Supposed to Have Committed—Forger Denny Taken to Reynolds County—Police News.

"Without doubt, he is the coolest customer we ever handled," said Chief of Detectives Desmond this morning to Chief of Police T. E. Shutt of Springfield, Ill. "He don't say much, but he looks a great deal, and I would advise you to keep your eye on him as long as he is in your charge."

The subject of the conversation sat in the office of Chief Desmond at the Four Courts. He was John Williams, undoubtedly one of the best burglars ever captured by the St. Louis Department. This afternoon he will leave in charge of Chief of Police Shutt for Springfield, there to answer to the charge of burglary in the first degree.

Williams was arrested Thursday afternoon. Detectives Fitzgerald and Frese were in one of the down town goldsmith's when the fellow entered and offered for sale a quantity of gold. A hasty examination disclosed that the stuff was the broken cases of gold watches to the number of more than half a dozen and the stranger was taken into custody. At the Four Courts he demeaned himself with the air of an icicle and "said nuthin to nobody." In answer to a volley of questions from the detectives with regard to his identity he answered:

"Now see here! You fellows have got me and you can go right ahead and do what you can to me."

"But where did you get all of this jewelry?" asked Desmond.

"But what made you break it all to pieces?"

"It was easier to carry that way."

And that was all that he would say on that score. When Mr. Desmond remanded him to the custody of Detectives Frese and Fitzgerald and instructed them to return him to the holdover, Williams only answered:

"Oh, well! It is lots cooler down there than up here, anyway."

Then a microscope was brought into play and the numbers on several of the gold fragments were made out. One of these was 28,194. Reference to the records of stolen property developed that a gold watch of that number had been reported on May 6 as stolen at Springfield, Ill., and a telegram announcing the arrest was sent to the authorities at that point. In answer Chief of Police Shutt came on to-day. Mr. Shutt said:

CERTAIN HE IS THE MAN.

"There is little doubt in my mind but that Williams is the man we are after. During the first week in May there was a perfect epidemic of burglaries in Springfield, the daring nature of which incensed the citizens to an intense degree. The most outrageous was the iniquity perpetrated upon Miss Lillie Sheehan. The young lady is the daughter of a Wabash conductor. She was awakened one night by hearing a noise in her room. Before she could make a move or utter a scream she was seized from behind and the sheet drawn over her eyes and mouth. She was then dragged from the bed, her hands tied with a towel and a gag forced into her mouth. Her assailant then demanded to know where he could find her money and valuables. The poor young lady, half choked and almost insensible with fright, could make no answer, and the burglar kicked her in the side. Miss Sheehan had some time before been severely injured in an accident, and could make not the slightest resistance. She was soon insensible, and the burglar made his escape after ransacking the apartment. During the same week the residence of probably half a dozen of the most prominent citizens were entered. Mayor R. D. Lawrence lost jewelry of the value of about $100, and others whose names I cannot at present call to mind were victimized. The residence of Mr. J. N. Watts, a wealthy farmer, living on West Monroe street, was entered on the night of the 8th inst., about $40 in money and a gold watch being among the plunder carried away. The number of the watch stolen corresponds to that on the fragment of gold found on Williams' person, and I am satisfied that he was implicated in the Springfield burglaries."

Williams said nothing when the Springfield subject was broached. It is said, however, that before his arrest he told down town that he had been in Springfield only a short time before. He admits, too, that he is "broke" at present, says that he has done time in no less than fourteen penitentiaries in different parts of the East. Among them, Joliet and Chester in Illinois, and Sing Sing in New York. The name of John Williams is of course only one of his many aliases, and the St. Louis police are satisfied that the fellow is a criminal of more than routine record, and will endeavor to establish his true identity through correspondence with Eastern authorities. Chief of Police Shutt will leave with his prisoner for Springfield at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The St. Louis end of the case will be worked for further developments.

Hunting for Carrie Morrison.

Detective John Hobbs and the members of the St. Louis Police Department are in search of 21-year-old Carrie Morrison, who is missing from her home in East St. Louis. The girl was last seen at about 9:30 o'clock on last Monday night when she left the home of an East St. Louis lady, where she had been at work as a domestic. At that time she announced that she was going to see her mother.

Mrs. Morrison is at a loss to account for her daughter's absence, as the missing girl was not in the habit of remaining away from home, and was of exemplary habits. The only explanation the mother can give is that the girl is temporarily insane over a love affair. It seems that for several months Miss Morrison was engaged to Mr. John Thornton, a young man employed in the East St. Louis Stock Yards. The two quarrelled over some trivial difference, and the match was broken off. For the past two months the girl has been keeping company with Harry Owens, a young man employed in the Beef Canning Works. Owens insists that he last saw the girl on Sunday night and knows nothing of her present whereabouts. Both Owens and Thornton are engaged in the search.

The missing girl is 5 feet 3 inches tall, slender in build, with Roman nose, fair complexion, blue eyes and brown hair. She wore when last seen a black sateen waist, black cloth skirt trimmed at the bottom with three rows of black braid, with shoulder caps, black straw hat, No. 5 button shoes, red and black underskirt, black hose and small bob ear rings.

Forger Denny Taken to Reynolds County.

Sheriff R. Vieles and Deputy Sheriff J. T. Baker of Reynolds County, Mo., took Alfred Davis, alias W. Brooks, alias John A. Denny, from the St. Louis Jail this morning and left with their prisoner for Reynolds County. Denny has been for several months confined in Jailer Callahan's hotel, head for safe keeping. He is charged in Reynolds County with forgery.

Denny has had a peculiar experience. Of good family, he early developed a religious nature, and was ordained for the ministry and exhorted for several years at the back woods revivals. He was trusted by his neighbors, and was easily enabled to impose upon them. Six months ago he disposed of several forged school bonds in Iron and Reynolds Counties. He was arrested and placed in the Reynolds County Jail from which institution he escaped, making a saw from the main spring of his watch and cutting the bars. He was soon after recaptured and was sent to the Iron County Jail. Ten days after his incarceration the jailer noticed that the bars of his cell were cut, everything being in readiness for another break for liberty. The prisoner was then brought to St. Louis and placed in the jail at the Four Courts.

About two months ago his friends made a bungling attempt to effect his release. One day a bulky package inclosed in an envelope from the office of the Prosecuting Attorney of Reynolds County was received at the Four Courts and opened by Deputy Jailer Hodnett. Inside was what purported to be a bond in the sum of $5,000 for Denny's appearance to answer to the charge of forgery. Signatures purporting to be those of the Prosecuting Attorney and the Sheriff were appended. Mr. Hodnett noticed, however, that the seal of the court had been omitted, and called the attention of Jailer Callahan to the peculiar condition of the document. Of course the bond was sent back to Reynolds County, and a few days later Mr. Callahan received a communication from the prosecuting attorney who denounced the bond as a bungling forgery. Denny professed entire ignorance as to the authorship of the document and the investigation made by the Reynolds County authorities developed nothing which could be used as evidence against those upon whom suspicion fell.

On account of Denny's desperate nature and his former escape he was put in leg chains and handcuffs before leaving the St. Louis jail. It is said that the Reynolds County authorities have discovered that through a technicality the present action against him can never be forced to a successful issue. The Grand Jury now in session will, it is alleged, ignore the bill against him, and the prisoner being in court, will be released. The Sheriff of Iron County will be on the scene, however, and as soon as Denny steps outside the court room he will be at once re-arrested and taken to Iron County on a similar charge.

June 3.

Bear in mind that every want advertiser in to-morrow's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH gets a ticket for an evening on the river, on June 3.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Delmar, near Grand av. Services at 10:30 a. m., Rev. H. A. Stimson, D. D., and 8 p. m., Rev. Wm. S. Palmer, D. D., preaching pastor. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, 7:15 p. m.

LINDELL AND VANDEVENTER NON-SECTARIAN CHURCH—Rev. R. C. Cave, pastor; services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30; mid-week meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.; seats free; all invited.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—Thirteenth and Locust, opposite Exposition building—Sunday services, May 24, 1891: 8 a. m., Holy Communion. 9:30 a. m., Bible classes. 11 a. m., morning prayer, sermon and holy communion. 5 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. Tuesday, 10 a. m., opening service of the 52d annual convention of the Diocese of Missouri.

NORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner 11th and Chambers sts.—Rev. Marcellus G. Gorin, pastor. Residence, 2011 N. 11th st. Preaching Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sabbath-school at 9 a. m. Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The Society of Christian Endeavor meets every Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH, corner Locust and Beaumont (27th) sts. Rev. J. W. Ford, D. D., pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Regular services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Preaching by Rev. Dr. Haslett. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Midweek service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

ST. MARK'S ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Bell and Cardina; avs., M. Rhodes, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 11:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sabbath-school, 9:15 a. m. Prayer-meeting and lecture by the pastor every Wednesday evening at 8. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets in the church parlors every Sunday evening, from 7 to 7:45.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, n. w. cor. 17th st. and Lucas pl.—Rev. D. Nicoll, D. D., Pastor. Divine service Sunday, May 24, at 11 a. m., when pulpit will be filled by Mr. Narayan Sheshadri of Bombay, a converted Brahmin and pastor of a Presbyterian Church in India. No evening service, the pastor being absent. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. in the chapel. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room. A cordial invitation and welcome extended to all.

TEMPLE ISRAEL, corner Pine and 28th sts. Sunday lecture by Rabbi Sonneschein. Subject: "Life's Guiding Star." Exercises begin at 10:45. All are invited.

THE REV. DR. NARAYAN SHESHADRI of Bombay, India, will deliver a lecture on "Hindooism," illustrated by stereopticon views by a good stereopticon, at Compton Avenue Presbyterian Church (Rev. Dr. Brookes') Monday evening, May 25, at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

LODGE NOTICES.

GEORGE WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 9, A. F. and A. M., will hold a special communication at Freemasons' Hall, corner 7th and Market sts., this (Saturday) evening, at 8 o'clock. "Work on Third Degree;" two candidates. Visitors fraternally invited.
23 F. J. HEUER, Secretary.

VALLEY COUNCIL, No. 438, Royal Arcanum—Members are requested to meet at the Narrow-Gauge Depot Sunday, May 24, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of visiting Cabanne Council. Train leaves at 7:40 p. m.
CHAS. B. COX, Regent.
Jos. J. GROSS, Secretary. 33

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Position by man in retail grocery; best of references. Address 2810a Choteau av.

WANTED—A situation by a young man of 19 years as clerk in some office; can give A1 reference. Address J. G. S., 1424 N. 18th st. 37

The Trades.

WANTED—Young man 24 years old wants to learn the drug business; speaks German and English; salary no object. Address L. Ehrlich, 1422 N. 16th.

WANTED—A position as barkeeper; ten years' experience; good references; wages and no much object as good position. Address J 18, this office. 39

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A situation by an honest and strong man for inside work; am handy with tools. Call or address F. A. J., 1504 Pine st. 49

HELP WANTED—MALE.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Customers. Fine clothing made to order and sold on easy terms. Suits from $25. No. 19 N. 6th st., cor. Chestnut st. 54

WANTED—Salesman to wholesale and manufacture cider made without apples; no capital required. New Process Cider Co., 1435 Blake st., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Competent salesmen for this city and surrounding towns to represent a large company; the best and most reliable investment offered; experience unnecessary; active men and women can make first-class pay; call or send for particulars. The Rice-Wright Co., 904 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Salesmen on salary or commission to handle the new patent chemical ink erasing pencil; the greatest selling novelty ever produced; erases ink thoroughly in two seconds; no abrasion of paper; 200 to 500 per cent profit; one agent's sales amounted to $600 in six days; another $52 in two hours. We want one energetic general agent for each State and territory. For terms and full particulars, add. the Monroe Eraser Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.

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J. J. Donovan & Co Auction Sale of Gay Race Saturday May 30th at 3 o'Clock. Mark's Vernon Cars.

Laborers

WANTED—Laborers, St Louis and Union avs. John Bambrick.

WANTED—Stonecutters; Main and Madison, Bambrick-Bates Construction Co. 59

HELP WANTED—MALE.

The Trades.

WANTED—Blacksmith and helper. 1413 Franklin av. 58

WANTED—4 good painters; wages 35c. 4009 Chouteau av. 58

WANTED—Good wagonmaker. Apply to John Koenigstein, East St Louis.

WANTED—Ten paving rock dressers at Broadway and Bissell. J. E. Perkinson & Bro. 58

WANTED—A good man to take charge of a pile driver. Geo. Prendergast, 202 Pine st. 58

WANTED—A steady, sober, licensed engineer as night watchman. Address E 18, this office. 58

WANTED—50 first-class millwrights and joiners for Farmers' elevator. Inquire at 1433 N. 2d st.

WANTED—A carpenter and painter by Aug. Grocshiem, Rock Hill, Mo., a quarter mile west from Meutor Station; Creve Cour Lake train.

NOTICE—Don't fail to attend the annual excursion of the Journeymen Painters' Union, branches 1, 2 and 3, on the elegant steamer Oliver Belrne, Sunday, May 24, at 9 o'clock a. m. Special attractions. Tickets, 25c. 58

Wanted—Iron Workers Immediately.

Finishers, fitters, chippers and bolpers on wrought and cast-iron work. Scherpe & Koken Architectural Iron Co., Old Manchester rd. and Chouteau av. 58

Boys.

WANTED—Colored bell boys at Richelieu Hotel. 61

WANTED—A good colored boy to care for horses and a cow. 620 N. 3d st. 61

WANTED—With city refs. a stout colored boy for office work. 110 N. 3d st. 61

WANTED—5 boys from 16 to 18 years. Standard Stamping Co., 712 N. 2d st. 61

WANTED—A neat, respectable boy to drive wagon; $4 per week. 1923 Park av. 61

WANTED—Boy, 16 or 18, with experience in retail grocery. Address H 19, this office. 61

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Man in kitchen. 705 Pine st. 62

WANTED—A field hand to work with an engineer. Call at 720 Chestnut st. 62

WANTED—Young man to drive delivery wagon. F. Mueller & Co., grocers, Grand and St. Louis av. 62

WANTED—Intelligent Catholic gentleman for special work in city; good pay for man that suits; reference and small cash security required. Call at room 415, Mermod & Jaccard Building. 62

WANTED—Detectives; bright young men in every locality to act as private detectives for the oldest detective agency of this nature in the country; incorporated in 1876; send stamp for full particulars. Address Washington Detective Agency, Box 787, Washington, Io. 62

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—A stranger in the city wishes sewing in family at 75c per day. Add. E 12, this office. 46

Housekeepers.

WANTED—By thoroughly respectable party, house to keep during summer in absence of owners. Address G 19, this office. 47

General Housework.

STOVE REPAIRS
For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

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Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Situation by cook for general housework, without washing, in small family; country preferred. 2544 Warren st. 49

Laundresses.

WANTED—Washing and ironing to take home. 2727 Landsdale av. 51

WANTED—Situation by first-class laundress to work out two days in the week. Address Jennie Wood, 2629 Lucas av., in rear. 51

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A lady wants position as dining-room girl or to take charge of children. Address H 18, this office.

WANTED—A position by young lady of intelligence; willing to do any kind of work except canvassing. Add. E 14, this office. 52

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

Laundresses.

WANTED—A washwoman at 3021 Washington av.; call this evening. 67

WANTED—Girls to learn shirt ironing. Excelsior Laundry, 1923 Park av. 67

General Housework.

WANTED—Housegirl. 3836 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework at 802 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 1104 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1811 N. Taylor av. 66

WANTED—A white girl for general housework at 1124 Pine st. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 2309 University st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3626 Page av. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 720 Lami st., up-stairs. 66

WANTED—A girl about 16 years old for housework at 1217 Dillon st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 2640 Olive st. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Dr. Blank, 1607 Franklin av. 66

WANTED—4 housegirls, 2 nurse girls. Call to-night or to-morrow, 1519 Pine. 66

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WANTED—A steady middle-aged woman for general housework; two adults. 2946 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; good home; come to-night. 2617 Pine. 66

WANTED—Good girl for housework, washing and ironing; no cooking; no children; German girl who can sleep at home preferred; references required. 912 N. 10th st. 66

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WANTED—German girl to cook; wages $15. 1817 Pine st. 66

WANTED—A girl to cook, wash and iron. 2804 Washington av. 66

WANTED—Two girls, one for cook and one for housework. 2044 Delmar av. 66

WANTED—A cook to assist in washing and ironing; refs. required. A. F. Forbes, 2808 Pine st.

WANTED—A man to cook, and a dishwasher at 2726 S. Grand av., opposite Tower Grove Park. 66

WANTED—Woman as assistant cook and for general housework in boarding-house. 2225 N. Broadway. 66

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WANTED—Experienced hasters, hand sewers and machine girls on coats. 1526 Biddle st. 69

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WANTED—A young girl to take care of children and assist with light housework. One who can sleep at home preferred. 3016 Sheridan av. 70

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WANTED—Woman dishwasher at Windsor restaurant, 823 N. 6th st.

WANTED—At 1615 Lucas pl. immediately, a first-class dining-room girl. 71

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SUNDAY, MAY 24.

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1891.

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POPE'S—"Only a Farmer's Daughter."
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ONE danger of a deadlock over the municipal appointments is the chance of a deadlock in the departments under dispute.

IN addition to all the news an unusually bright array of special features may be looked for in to-morrow's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

BARON FAVA has not strengthened the Italian case in the public mind by proving that he and Premier RUDINI could not bulldose Mr. BLAINE.

GEN. WOLSELEY has reached the meat of his Sherman series of articles and the most interesting installment he has written will appear in to-morrow's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

THE pleasure which such a good blow of the rejection club of the Council as that struck last night causes is tempered by the remembrance of the deserving objects it has missed.

IN the matter of looting treasuries the Democratic and Republican records are nearly even. The Democrats have had more treasury thieves but the Republicans bigger stealings.

FROM the standpoint of the Quay gang BARDSLEY'S speculating in public funds was all right, but his getting caught at it was an unpardonable crime which deserves the severest punishment.

THE only difference between QUAY and BARDSLEY is that BARDSLEY got caught in his speculation and QUAY'S friends rescued him before the revelations came. As a result QUAY went to the Senate and BARDSLEY may go to the penitentiary.

THE reflection that City Treasurer BARDSLEY might have prevented the loss of nearly a million dollars if he had not been under the influence of a gang of speculators affords small comfort to citizens of Philadelphia, but it carries a valuable lesson which they may profit by in future.

DESPITE unpropitious weather the first river excursion of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH want advertisers was a thorough success. These excursions will become more and more enjoyable as the summer advances. The opportunity to combine business with pleasure by securing the best advertising and a pleasant excursion for the same cost should not be neglected by the public.

THAT PADLOCK.

The President insists that he stands with BLAINE for the reciprocity method o opening a back door for the escape of hi party from its high tariff predicament. But he evidently does not believe in reciprocity with BLAINE in the matter of the party's presidential nomination.

BLAINE gave it to him in 1888, and fair reciprocity requires him now to surrender it to BLAINE if the latter wants it and the party wants him to have it. Yet, merely because the party evidently prefers BLAINE, he is caricatured in the President's family organ as a chicken thief yearning for poultry which HARRISON holds securely under the protection of a padlock constructed by BLAINE'S own hands.

Even if BLAINE sold his birthright for Cabinet position, when he could give away the Presidency, and the President has the bill of sale in his possession, this way of picturing the situation from the family organ's standpoint is in very bad taste.

But it raises a very serious question for the Republican party—the question whether the President can have a valid bill of sale of that party's right to choose its own nominee for President in 1892. Is any great national party bound by a written agreement between two of its leaders that it shall be permitted to nominate one of them, but not the other? Can such a party be thus deprived of its free choice, and of the right to command the services of its ablest leader and most available candidate? Can any great party tolerate the placing of such a padlock upon the highest prize, the most responsible trust, in the gift of the people?

The masses of the Republican party will have to answer these questions distinctly in their response to the Harrison claim that their right to nominate BLAINE and BLAINE'S right to accept have both been sold, delivered and placed under a lock to which a rival aspirant holds the key.

THE worst feature of the McCarthy-Parnell fight is the locking up of funds contributed to the Irish League for the purpose of aiding tenants evicted for adhering to the plan of campaign. These tenants relied upon promises of help, and hence have been plunged into deep distress by the selfish refusal of the Parnellites to allow the Paris funds to be used. The Irish-Americans of New York have done the proper thing in asking that these funds be released.

SOME of the most prominent Republicans of Philadelphia have petitioned the State Senate to reject the amendment to the ballot reform law designed to make it ineffective and to pass a thoroughly sound and stringent measure. It is evident that the better elements of the party realize its danger from the further control of the corrupt bosses and that another revolt from partisan rascality is imminent in Pennsylvania.

F. MARION CRAWFORD has fully sustained his reputation as a brilliant and captivating novelist in his deeply interesting story, "The Witch of Prague," which has been running in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. It combines an entertaining study of hypnotism, which is the popular scientific fad, with a fascinating story. The closing, and therefore the most interesting chapters, will appear to-morrow.

HOLMAN and LINDSAY made such good officers that the Mayor and Council should have concurred in retaining them in office. But if such concurrence cannot be secured the next best thing for St. Louis is concurrence in the appointment of the best successors that can be had.

California and the President.

San Francisco News Letter.

When it was intimated that President Harrison might start on a little fence-mending expedition through the country a shriek of entreaty vibrated across the continent from California: "Come and see us, Mr. President," we screamed; "come and let us show you the most remarkable aggregation of attractions ever gathered under a single tent. Come and taste our wines and you will never look at a French label again." The President came, and we got up a great banquet for him at $25 a plate, and the wines were French. If any of the visiting party had asked why the California article was excluded, the master of ceremonies would have responded with pitying astonishment: "You don't suppose we drink our own wine, do you? We make that to sell." And when the presidential party goes home we shall send delegations to Washington to urge an increase of duties, so that the viticultural industry of California may be raised from its unaccountable depression.

It Is Blaine's, Not Ben's.

From the New York WORLD.

Mr. Blaine's kind of reciprocity is not at all likely to meet the exigency. Nevertheless, it is the only expedient offered by any member of his party, and, notwithstanding its manifest inadequacy, its author is the only Republican to whom the party can look with the slightest degree of hope. Its nomination is at his command if he chooses to take it, and his removal by ill-health or otherwise would leave his party without a leader and very seriously affect the course of political events. There is but one James G. Blaine, and all his countryman, without regard to party, wish him renewed health and strength.

Mr. F. L. Marshall,
Representing the POST-DISPATCH on 'Change, will be on the floor during business hours and will call on merchants who desire to make use of the POST-DISPATCH market reports. Telephone 204.

Mr. W. C. Steigers
will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 204.

IT DID NOT CARRY.

The Proposed Amendment to the Rules Defeated on 'Change.

A LARGE MAJORITY, BUT NOT THE REQUISITE THREE-FOURTHS.

The Merchants' Exchange Reserve Fund Will Not Be Entrusted to a Commission—An Active Canvass and a Close Vote—Scenes on the Floor—Announcing the Result to the Members.

There was an unusually large attendance on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange this morning, the occasion being the vote on the amendment to the rules which has been the main topic of conversation for some time. The ballot boxes were placed just south of the flour corner, and there was a dense crowd around them. The interest felt in the result of the vote was amply proved by the energy manifested by those desiring to gain recruits. At the door members of the exchange were stationed provided with tickets, which were offered to all who entered.

ACTIVE ELECTIONEERING.

ANY MAN who expressed indecision was instantly surrounded by the advocates and opponents of the rule, who did all in their power to bring him to their way of thinking. Such active electioneering has never been seen on 'Change. The floor was covered with knots and groups of men, earnestly arguing as to the advantages or disadvantages of the proposed amendment, and some very heated controversies took place. The advocates of the alteration were better organized and more enterprising than their opponents. Under the lead of President Marcus Bernheimer they used every means to bring out the full vote of those who favored the adoption of the rule. Carriages were dispatched to bring to the Exchange men who were not likely to come of their own accord, and a large and effective skirmishing and drumming force was employed. When the polls opened at 10 o'clock all these men were in their places, and did not relax their efforts until the time for closing arrived.

PROGRESS OF THE VOTING.

While the vote during the early hours was in favor of the amendment, it was evident that if the floor had to be depended upon the requisite three-fourths majority could not be secured. Efforts were, therefore, redoubled to bring in the outside vote. This did not commence to come in until 11 o'clock, but from this time on there was a steady stream of voters, who seldom are seen on the floor. It was soon manifest that a large vote would be cast, and this greatly encouraged the advocates of the measure, as they have always believed that the chances of success on a heavy vote were much greater than with a light one.

THE OPPOSING FORCES.

The active workers for the passage of the amendment, and these far outnumbered those who were strenuous in their opposition, were thoroughly confident of success as the voting progressed. At 12:15 President Bernheimer said: "We have certainly won. We will have the necessary three-fourths and 100 votes to spare." Others were equally confident, counting largely upon the vote that would come in between noon and 1 o'clock. One of the most active opponents of the amendment was Moses Fraley, who stood near the entrance, and distributed copies of the new circular gotten up by those who were opposed to turning over the reserve fund to the custody of a committee of sixteen. The circular was as follows:

Voting for the rule means to be voting for sixteen unknown members of the committee. Also means giving an unknown amount to the locality. Also means giving an unlimited privilege to pay an unknown amount for the lot and an unknown amount may be expended on the building and an unknown indebtedness created. And last, but not least, an unknown increase in the annual dues. Each member is old and should have the right, at least, to know where the locality shall be, the amount to be paid for same, and the amount to be expended for improvement, as each member has an equal right and interest in its association, regardless of prominence. Another matter is to be considered, and it is of vital importance: The neighboring property owners in the vicinity of the site may be should contribute liberally. The citizens of the city should contribute to such a worthy propriety as they have heretofore to the present building, the Exposition Building, etc. A total bonus of at least $250,000 should be contributed by the citizens of St. Louis before any final action should be taken. Do not vote blindly to expend $1,500,000 on pure sentiment.

shortly before noon Messrs. Bernheimer and Fraley had quite a wordy war. Each accused the other of using improper means to advance his cause, and the trouple ended with a mutual agreement not to speak in future.

DISAPPOINTED ADVOCATES.

After the clock struck twelve the friends of the amendment were jubilant. Many of the regular habitues of the floor who were supposed to be opposed to the change had voted for it, and a large outside vote was counted upon. But as the hands of the clock went around the men became nervous. The outside vote did not come in to anything like the extent that was expected, and it became evident that the ballot would not be as heavy as was expected. There was no rush, and the fact was manifest that the outsiders were not deeply interested. At 12:55 President Bernheimer said: "I would give $100 for another hour to make things certain, but I am confident that we have gained the day."

COUNTING THE VOTE.

Promptly on the ringing of the bell the judges of election carried the ballot boxes into the reading-room, and at once set to work counting. The tally was completed at 1:30, and showed that while there was a heavy vote in favor of the amendment, that the necessary three-fourths majority had not been secured. The total vote cast was 1,246. Of this 902 ballots were for the amendment, and 344 against. To have gained the day those advocating the change of rules would have had to cast three times 344 votes, or 1,032; so that the vote was just 130 short. This settles the matter for the time at least, and no disposition of the reserve fund can be made except as specified by the rules and regulations.

COMMENTS ON THE RESULT.

When Secretary Morgan announced the result there were only a few members of the Exchange present, as it had not been expected that the count would be finished so soon. The friends of the measure were both surprised and disappointed, as they had been confident of success; many expressed the opinion that if the polls had been kept open until 3 o'clock that the result would have been different. Others took the ground that the next vote should be a straight one on the question of abolishing the three-fourths rule. Still others maintained that the result was sufficiently encouraging to justify the submission of some similar proposition at an early date. The successful party was quiet, but very well satisfied with the outcome.

DON'T fail to attend the greatest picnic of the year, the A. O. H., at Fair Grounds to-morrow, Sunday, May 24. Admission, 25 cents. Children under 12 years of age, accompanied by their parents, admitted free.

The New Irish Aid Society.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Col. W. L. Brown, Chairman, says that the newly formed Irish National Federation has already cabled $15,000 to Archbishop Croke for the evicted tenants, and has $20,000 on hand, besides $7,000 or $8,000 subscribed but not yet collected.

PHOS-FERRONE for nervousness. Have a case sent home from Addington's, 700 Olive.

Gen. Butler and His Client.

BOSTON, May 23.—In the United States District Court Gen. B. F. Butler announced to Judge Nelson that he intended to fight for the petition for a writ of habeas corpus in behalf of his client, Clairetta Johnson, now confined in the Woman's Reformatory. Gen. Butler asked what would be a convenient time for a hearing on the petition, and Judge Nelson replied that he would grant a hearing on any Tuesday or Wednesday. It is understood the General will file his petition this afternoon and that the hearing will be had next week.

WHITTAKER'S Star Breakfast Bacon is a little higher in price, but unrivaled in quality.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Two Children Perish and Their Mother Seriously Injured.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 23.—Two children of Felix Lawler, a railroad man, were burned to death in a fire which started at his home this morning. The children were alone in the kitchen when a hot fire in the stove ignited some clothes hanging over it. They were dead before they could be rescued. The mother was badly burned in trying to reach them. Three other children were saved. The report that the fire was caused by a gasoline explosion proved to be a mistake.

DISABLED AT SEA.

THE VENDOM IN A CRIPPLED CONDITION OFF THE BANKS OF NEWFOUNDLAND.

NEW YORK, May 23.—One of the big passenger steamships of the Netherlands-American line is disabled off the banks of Newfoundland. She is supposed to be the steamship Vendom which left Rotterdam for this port on May 9. The first intimation that anything was wrong with a Netherlands liner was contained in a cablegram from London. According to the dispatch a steamer of this line was sighted on May 17 in latitude 44 degs., longitude 49 degs., or about east southeast of the Newfoundland banks and 700 miles from Halifax, Nova Scotia. The disabled steamer was under sail and another steamer was alongside of her. The name of neither vessel was given.

There is little doubt, however, the agents of the line in New York say, that the crippled steamer is the Vendom. The only vessel of the Netherlands-American line now at sea is the Spaarndom, which left this port on last Saturday, May 16. She could not possibly have reached the position where the crippled vessel was sighted in twenty-four hours. The Vendom has on board eighteen saloon, fifty second cabin and 186 steerage passengers, and a large cargo of general merchandise.

SEVEN PERSONS DROWNED.

PARIS, May 23.—Word has been received from Beauvais of the capsizing of a pleasure yacht containing a family named Dommart. M. Dommart, his son and daughter and five others were drowned.

Details of the yacht disaster at Beauvais yesterday show that the yacht, which was being handled by a pilot unfamiliar with the course, was sent at full steam over a weir instead of going through the lock. The owner of the craft, his son and daughter, and five others were drowned. Mrs. Dommart and the six remaining members of the party were rescued.

The steamer Werra which arrived this morning reports that on Thursday last she sighted a steamer of the Hill Line, supposed o be the Ludgate Hill, bound for New York. The Hill steamer signaled the Werra that she had sighted the Vendom, which is overdue at this port, the day before. The Vendom had then been laying to for four hours with her steering apparatus out of order. The Hill steamer took her in tow while she was making repairs. The Vendom is expected here in the course of the day.

Incoming steamers report that the disabled Netherlands steamer is safe, having made repairs while being towed and will probably reach here to-day.

KILLED WHILE BOARDING A TRAIN.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 23.—Will Daugherty, a young man from Dayton, O., was killed here this morning while trying to board a train. He was mangled beyond recognition.

Pennsylvania Excursion.

Vandalia Line will sell from St. Louis May 30 to June 1 inclusive, round trip Hagerstown, (Md.) tickets at $20. Return limit June 20.

PHOS-FERRONE for headaches. Have a case sent home from Addington's, 700 Olive.

THREATENED WITH DEATH.

The Warning Issued by the Strikers at Waveland, Ind.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 23.—The people of Waveland have taken a hand in the Midland railroad troubles, and by a monster petition addressed to Henry Crawford, have told him that the claims of the strikers are just and should be paid. Seventy-seven citizens, including all the substantial business men of Waveland and vicinity, have attached their names to the paper. They also state that they will not patronize the road until employes are paid for their honest labor. Previously the Midland company had been endeavoring to get out an injunction on the strikers holding the road trains. It was deferred by not being able to furnish bondsmen residing in the county whose resources were known to the court. John S. Brown was approached on the subject and was considering the matter when the strikers and their friends became cognizant of the fact. When Mr. Brown returned home last evening he found lying upon his front doorstep a board and upon raising it discovered the following letter:

We have learned that you have lent your name to the Midland Railroad for the purpose of beating a lot of poor men out of hard-earned money. If you think that those strikers have no friends in this town you are much mistaken, for some don't live far from you and they are going to stand by Waveland, and if you lend your name to that paper we will dynamite your house if it takes ten years to get even, and as for Anderson and Crane, they shall share the same fate, for, by the living God, we will be revenged.

[Signed] STRIKERS.

The letter, while incendiary in character, had anything but the desired effect upon Mr. Brown, and inclined him rather to the other side. Anderson and Crane are alarmed but will push the injunction suit.

IOWA MINERS.

OSKALOOSA, Io., May 23.—The Iowa miners in a spirited meeting yesterday decided to stand by the action of their State officers. It is expected the meeting will formulate a general demand for the eight hours work, pay every two weeks, and other things. Operators in this section are also firm, and will import new men. Four hundred miners are at work near this city and many others in the State.

LOAN AND HIS DEPUTIES CLEARED.

GREENSBURG, Pa., May 23.—The jury in the case of Capt. Loar and his deputies, charged with murder at the Morewood riots, after deliberating five hours, returned a verdict at 9 o'clock last night acquitting all the defendants.

THE COKE STRIKE BROKEN.

SCOTTDALE, Pa., May 23.—The coke strike is thoroughly broken and reports indicate that 10,000 men will be at work on Monday morning. It is now probable W. J. Rainey and other independent companies who have been paying the old wages will force the cheaper Frick sliding scale on their men.

The Finest Pianos for

Rent at Koerber Piano Co., 1102 Olive.

Mrs. Cowles Granted a Divorce.

CLEVELAND, O., May 23.—Mrs. Alice M. Cowles was to-day granted a divorce by Judge Lamson in the Equity Court from Eugene H. Cowles. The hearing in the case was brief, scarcely occupying more than half an hour. No opposition was made. The divorce was granted on the ground of cruelty and adultery. No provisions were made for alimony.

Hear the Soul of a Krakauer

Piano sing. Koerber Piano Co., 1102 Olive.

MET IN THE NIGHT.

Battle Between Two Bands of Vigilantes in Nebraska.

A CAPTIVE THIEF AND ONE OF THE COMBATANTS KILLED.

Dramatic Court Scene at the Campbell Murder Trial—Wife Murder and Suicide End a Brutal Career—Killed in a Fist Fight—Attempt to Wreck a Train.

OMAHA, Neb., May 23.—A special to the *Bee* from Dunning, Neb., says: While a party of vigilantes who had just captured a cattle thief named McAlvery near here were bringing the prisoner to town last night they met another posse of vigilantes. The night was very dark and each party mistook the other for thieves. Fire was opened on both sides, and before the mistake was discovered Judge Aikens, Treasurer of the county, and McAlvery, the cattle thief, who was in his care, were killed. No arrests have been made.

DRAMATIC COURT SCENE.

THE CAMPBELL MURDER TRIAL AT JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 23.—There was an exciting scene yesterday at the trial of Campbell for the murder of Mamie Joseph. O. J. H. Summers, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, was making an argument, when Campbell interrupted him. Mr. Summers paid no attention to him, and went on with the statement that Campbell's undesired attentions to Miss Joseph were regarded as persecutions.

Campbell arose excitedly, threw up his arms in the air and cried out: "That's a ——lie." "That's a damn lie ——."

"Ah, gentlemen," said Summers, "when a guilty conscience ——."

"If I have a guilty conscience," said Campbell excitedly, "I can go before my God with this conscience. I don't feel this crime," he gesticulated wildly and shook his fist at Mr. Summers.

The Sheriff took Campbell from the courtroom and the proceedings were stopped for fifteen minutes until the prisoner could be quieted. Judge Young instructed the jury when it retired at 7 o'clock last night, that he would come into court to receive the verdict up to midnight, but that otherwise they would have to stay out till morning.

At midnight the jury was still out.

The jury, after being out all night, came into court this morning at 10 o'clock and rendered a verdict of "guilty of murder in the first degree, with recommendation of mercy of the jury." The prisoner received the verdict without any sign of emotion.

THE M'COY MURDER TRIAL.

GREELY, Colo., May 23.—The trial of the alleged murderer of Capt. Hawley is still going on. Hawley's dying statement that McCoy made the attack and fired the first shot, was admitted as evidence. The defense is making use of the widely divergent accounts of various eye-witnesses. The defense makes its arguments to-day.

IS HE THE RIPPER.

A SUSPECT ARRESTED AFTER A DESPERATE STRUGGLE WITH THE POLICE.

LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., May 23.—A suspicious looking man answering the description of Jack-the-Ripper was arrested in Flushing avenue this morning after a desperate struggle in which he and the policemen freely used clubs. When taken to the station-house three knives were found on the prisoner. One was a table-knife, resembling very much the one with which Carrie Brown was cut in the East River Hotel. It was ground down to a razor edge. The second was a large dirk knife and the third was a heavy clasp knife. He refused to give his name or tell where he came from. He was committed to the county jail for medical examination as to his sanity.

WEDDED BUT TWO WEEKS.

A BRUTE'S CAREER CLOSES WITH WIFE MURDER AND SUICIDE.

ENGLEWOOD, N. Y., May 23.—Frank Turky of this town last night murdered his wife and then killed himself with a revolver.

Turky had been married to the woman he killed only two weeks. She was a young German he had secured as an intelligence office to do housework. His first wife had been dead but two days when he proposed to marry the servant. In ten days they were married. The new wife soon found that he was an inhuman brute and had him arrested for assault. He was to have been tried to-day. Yesterday he locked the door of his shop and blew his wife's brains out and then his own. It is said that his first wife died of harsh treatment.

SHOT A MUSEUM PRIZE BEAUTY.

NEW YORK, May 23.—John Dunn was held in default of $1,500 bond in the Jefferson Market Court yesterday, charged with making a deadly assault on Mrs. Carrie Hemming, a handsome young woman not over 18 years of age. Since Monday last she has occupied a seat on an elevated platform in Doris' Eighth Avenue Museum, competing for the prize offered for the most beautiful contestant. In addition to Mrs. Hemming there are nineteen others in the race. Dunn went to the museum yesterday and taking a revolver deliberately shot in the direction of the young woman's face. She saw his movement and threw her arms over her face just before he shot. The ball struck her on the arm, making a flesh wound. Before Dunn could do further damage he was thrown from the hall. Dunn is an ex-circus performer and was formerly Mrs. Hemming's admirer.

KILLED IN A FIST FIGHT.

HAMMOND, Wis., May 23.—Wm. Peele and Charles Thomas, employed by Thos. Murtagh and Thos. Fitzgerald, respectively, two farmers, living six miles north of here, had a fist fight last night, in which Peele was killed. The two men took this mode of settling a dispute. They had not fought more than a few seconds when Peele fell to the ground, dying in fifteen minutes. Several bystanders attempted to part them, but not until it was too late. Chapman escaped as soon as he saw the result.

FRAUDULENT USE OF THE MAILS.

DES MOINES, Io., May 23.—The Federal Grand-jury has returned indictments against J. J. Kellogg, E. R. Hodges and S. J. Kellogg of Washington, Io., for using the mail for fraudulent purposes. For more than a year these parties have inserted an advertisement in at least one paper in every prominent city in the United States substantially as follows: WANTED—Detectives—Bright young men in every locality to act as private detectives; send stamp for full particulars. Address Washington Detective Agency.

It was their plan to secure young men to act as detectives, charging them for certificates stating that they were members of the Washington Detective Agency, and with their certificates and a nickel-plate star probably worth 50 cents. Evidence was brought before the Grand-jury showing that the concern had taken in as high as $400 in one day from the young men of the country who were anxious to gain fame as detectives.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN.

OIL CITY, Pa., May 23.—Last evening about 300 of the society people of Oil City and Franklin held a moonlight picnic at Shonboro Grove, a short distance out of town. During the evening four drunken strangers were ejected from the grounds and swore to get even with the party. About 11:30, just after the train bearing the crowd had started for home, the trainmen discovered an obstruction on the track which proved to be a rail, chained down tight. The obstruction was moved and the train proceeded. The drunken men are under arrest.

DUNCAN REMANDED.

LONDON, May 23.—R. H. Duncan of Washington, D. C., who is held on the charge of having attempted to murder his wife near Bettwys-y-Coed, in Wales, recently, was brought into court at Carnarvon to-day. The prisoner looked haggard and dejected. Owing to the inability of his wife to be present, Duncan was remanded for one week.

PANIC ON A RAILWAY TRAIN.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 23.—A drunken mountaineer chased a whole car full of passengers under the seats and tried to kill the conductor. The man got on the Cincinnati Southern train with a ticket for Nicholasville. Before that point was reached he wanted to get off, the conductor refused to stop and the mountaineer began to shoot. When the smoke cleared away the people came from under the seats and found no one had been hurt. The man sat down and went to sleep. When arrested he was too drunk to talk.

PREACHER CHARGED WITH COUNTERFEITING.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 23.—The Rev. Jeremiah Holmes, pastor of a Campbellite Church at DuQuoin, Ill., has been arrested as a counterfeiter. Several clews have been followed up which go to indicate that the Rev. Holmes has a pretty thorough acquaintance with a gang of four recently sent to the penitentiary.

IN THE HANDS OF A MOB.

HOMER, La., May 23.—Tennis Hampton, a negro, who is said to have murdered E. H. Webb in 1888, was taken from the Sheriff on the train at Beardsley by a mob of twenty men and it is thought he was hung.

CRIMINAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

Henry Phillips of Carterville, Ill., was attacked last night by two Italians named Bruni and Calcateri. He was stabbed three times. He may recover. The Italians are under arrest.

Wine and women were the cause of a quarrel between the Town Marshal of Corning, a small station near Little Rock, Ark., on the Iron Mountain, and Charles and Walter McCollum. Charles was killed and the Marshal was badly injured.

Zelly Marshall, a farm hand, was shot and instantly killed near Paragould, Ark., yesterday while working in the field. The assassin is unknown.

Charles Roberts, the bandit of the Wabash, was sentenced to the Penitentiary for five years in Crawfordsville, Ind., yesterday, for attempting to shoot the Town Marshal.

THE greatest event of the year in outdoor sports will be the A. O. H. picnic at Fair Grounds to-morrow, Sunday, May 24. Admission 25 cents. Children under 12 years of age, accompanied by their parents, admitted free.

WHITTAKER'S Star Breakfast Bacon is worth $1 per pound.

LOCAL LITIGATION.

Mr. Bell's Costly Experience in Building Houses—Court Notes.

The jury in the suit of P. F. Meagher against J. R. Bell returned a verdict for defendant in court-room No. 3, for the full amount sued for, namely, $97.35. Mr. Meagher is an architect, and his claim against Mr. Bell, who is inspector of Customs under Col. Churchill, was for drawing plans and specifications for an addition to the latter's house on Cook avenue, and for superintending the erection of it. Mr. Bell refused to pay the bill on the ground that the building had been badly constructed and had not been finished in the time agreed upon, and because the architect did not protect him against mechanics' liens. He had to pay a mechanic's lien for $139, and when he was sued in Justice Spaulding's court for the architect's claim, he filed a counter-claim of $300 to cover the mechanic's lien and damages, and asked for judgment against Meagher for that amount. The jury in the justice's court gave the architect $25 on his bill and threw Bell's counter-claim out altogether, and Mr. Bell then took an appeal, but he is now probably sorry for it, as the jury in Judge Withrow's court found for the architect on both claims, giving him the full amount sued for and not allowing Mr. Bell anything on his counter-claim. The costs will foot up about $75, and Mr. Bell has two attorneys' fees to pay in addition. The contractor who built the house was F. C. Sanguinett.

The Kleindienst Divorce Suit.

Judge Valliant ordered V. J. Kleindienst today to pay his wife $4 a week toward the support of herself and children until his suit for divorce is tried and disposed of, and also to pay to the court on or before June 10 the sum of $25 for attorney fees for Mrs. Kleindienst. Mr. Kleindienst is suing for divorce on the ground of habitual drunkenness, a charge that is indignantly denied by Mrs. Kleindienst. She takes in sewing for a living and resides at 815 North Market street.

They have four children, all girls, aged from 3 to 10 years, who are now living with Mrs. Kleindienst, but the father has asked the court to give him the custody of them. The case is set for June 15 for trial.

Will of Francis L. Boehm.

The will of Francis L. Boehm, a wealthy German of the Southern part of the city, who died recently, was probated this morning. The widow is made executrix and given a life interest in all the property. Philip, one of the sons, gets the house and lot at 1911 South Seventh street; George, the house and lots at 2320 and 2322 South Broadway; Frank, the house and lot at 2416 South Broadway Jacob, the two houses and lots at 2414A South Broadway and 2418 South Broadway, and Manna Maria, the daughter, the houses and lots at 911 and 913 Lami street. Miss Boehm is also to receive the family piano and Jacob is to pay her $600 and the same amount to Philip, George and Frank and is to pay George the $1,000 which the father owed George and is to cancel the debt of $1,000 which the father owed him, Jacob.

PHOS-FERRONE—The children's tonic. Have a case sent home from Addington's 700 Olive.

Did Not Take It All.

A warrant for grand larceny was issued at the Four Courts this morning against Henry Simons. The defendant was arrested yesterday afternoon in the house at 116 North Thirteenth street by Officers Gocking and Bannick of the Fourth District. Complaint was made in the case by William Bartman, who alleged that Wednesday night on opening the trunk in his room at 4117 North Broadway he discovered that $150 of the $750, which he had their secreted, was gone. Simons was his room-mate and op him suspicion naturally fell. When taken to the Fourth District Station Simons admitted the theft and turned over $50 of the money, claiming that the rest had been squandered. Both of the young men are carriage painters by trade. Simons is now in jail.

INSIST on having Whittaker's Star Breakfast Bacon.

To Work for the State.

Deputy Sheriff Skidmore made one of his semi-occasional trips to Jefferson City this morning. With him went George Loescher, Dennis Clark and George Duncan, who have secured employment in the service of the State. Loescher is under contract to remain four years for grand larceny; Clark, two years for burglary in the second degree and larceny, and Duncan four years for the same offense.

ASK your grocer for Whittaker's Star Breakfast Bacon.

Geo. H. Daniel, Osceola, Mo.; W. H. Keene, Boston; A. M. Dupuy, New York, and T. S. Sellers, Philadelphia, are at the Lindell.

NEWS ACROSS THE RIVER.

THIRD PARTY DELEGATES MEET TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR JUDGE.

Senator Pfeffer of Kansas Fails to Keep His Appointment to Be Present—S. D. Wamm Chosen as Chairman of the Convention—Belleville Briefs.

A number of delegates, representing the Farmers' Alliance, Knights of Labor, United Mine Workers, Farmers' Mutual Benefit Association and kindred societies, met in East St. Louis to-day to carry out the project of putting an independent judicial ticket in the field against Judges Borroughs, Wall and Wilderman, the candidates recently nominated by the Democratic party. The meeting convened at the Launtz Hall on Missouri avenue at 10 o'clock a. m., S. D. Wamm of Marion County, acting as chairman, and George W. Wickline of Washington County as secretary. At a conference held on the 9th inst. at Centralia the Independent party of the Third Judicial District of Illinois was organized the call for to-day's convention was issued, and Messrs. Wamm and Wickline were made Chairman and Secretary, respectively. When the convention was called to order to-day the following persons were present as delegates: E. A. Burke and J. R. Yager of Alton, Madison County; Armond Zelis of Highland, Madison County; S. D. Wamm of Sandoval, Marion County; John C. Harder, Louis C. Quellmalz, "Doc" Pulliam and Jacob Schwind of Belleville; John Lupton of Lebanon; Henry E. Boughan, Homer Bailey, J. C. Lang and Frank Ruehler of East St. Louis; George W. Wickline of Nashvile, Washington County; J. T. McKribben and John English of Marion County; Timothy Gruaz of Highland, Madison County. Chairman Wamm appointed Committees on Credentials and Resolutions, after which an adjournment was taken until 3 p. m. Delegates Quellmalz, Wickline and McKribben were named as members of the Committee on Credentials, and Delegates English and Lupton members of the Resolution Committee. J. F. Willets of Kansas is present and will deliver an address this evening. The printed calls for the convention announced that United States Senator Pfeffer, who was expected to stop here on the way home from Cincinnati, would also speak, but he is not present, having been detained at Washington. At this afternoon's session nominations for Judges of the Third Illinois District will be made. It is not known whether the Independent party will put a full ticket in the field against Messrs. Wall, Wilderman and Burroughs, or whether only two or perhaps two candidates will be nominated. It is said to be a foregone conclusion that Hon. James M. Dill of Belleville will be one of the men placed on the ticket. He is a brother-in-law of Judge Wm. H. Snyder of Belleville, who was forced out of the way to make room for Hon. Alonzo S. Wilderman on the Democratic ticket.

NOTES.

The police have been notified of the disappearance of R. E. Henry, a Cairo Short Line brakeman, who left home last Monday ostensibly to visit an official of the road and has not been seen or heard of by his family since. Henry is 46 years old. His home is at 428 North Fourth street, where he has a wife and five children.

J. W. Kelley, the hod-carrier arrested for striking Contractor H. Symonds, was arraigned before Justice Bunyan yesterday afternoon charged with assault and battery. Several witnesses testified that Symonds was the aggressor and the plaintiff took a nonsuit.

The City Court has adjourned until Monday. The end of the docket was not reached yesterday, but probably will be next week. But little business remains to be finished up.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon. No business of public importance was transacted.

John Eddy, proprietor of the Southeastern Hotel and a well-known citizen, died yesterday of consumption at the age of 58 years.

Belleville.

The Grand-jury has indicted Frank Strickland, John Hohm and Lena Schwartzraner for selling liquor without license, John C. Scott, George Miller and Jacob Burger for fraud, Malinda Jenkins (colored) for assault with intent to kill, Charles Gannon, George Wilson, Carl Miller, Thomas Mullen, Thomas Murphy, Charles George, Edward Johnson and George Cook, for burglary and larceny. Cook and Johnson entered pleas of guilty. The former was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year and the latter to jail for ninety days.

Mrs. Elizabeth Haege, widow of the late Louis Haege, died yesterday at the home of her son, on Fulton street, at the age of 67 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

Two teams composed of the night men and day men, employed at the Waugh Steel works, will play a game of base ball this afternoon at National Park.

Dr. J. J. R. Patrick of Belleville has been invited to deliver a lecture before the Missouri Historical Society of St. Louis on his archeologic collection, recently donated to the society.

The Circuit Court has adjourned until next Friday. But little business is expected to be transacted in the court until after the judicial election on the 1st prox.

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The property alluded to in connection with the picturre of the Grand Avenue Suspension Bridge is to be sold upon the premises, where ample provisions will be made to accommodate the immense throng of people who will be there to buy the ground in lots and in whole blocks. That there will be an immense attendance at the sale is not doubted, as it has been reported that the leading business and professional men of the city will suspend operations on the days of the auction so that they and their employes may have an opportunity to invest in real estate on this extraordinary occasion.

In addition to the Chouteau avenue branch of the Lindell electric railway system, the property may be reached by two other rapid transit lines. The Fourth street cable lands passengers at the corner of Grand and Lafayette avenues, within one block of the place where the auction will be commenced, and at the west end of the grounds, on Tower Grove avenue, where the sale will progress later on, there is the Tower Grove extension of the Missouri Street Railway Co.'s electric line, running east down Market to Fourth street. But these three lines are not the only means of transportation to the grounds, for there are the Missouri Pacific and the Frisco railways, both of which companies run suburban trains past the premises, stopping at Tower Grove station every hour. No subdivision in the city has so many lines running into the business center. Every street and alley in the plat has been formally dedicated to the public use and accepted by the city.

The street grades have been established and most of the ground cut down to the level, or is high enough above grade to admit of pretty terraced fronts. Several of the streets have been sewered under the direction of the Board of Public Improvements and also provided with city water. Granitoid walks have been put down on both the east and west ends of the plot and near Tower Grove avenue eighteen two-story brick dwellings have been built and several of them sold to their present occupants.

There is nothing finer than the Grand avenue front or more desirable anywhere in the city for residence purposes. Farther west the ground, at the present time, is not so valuable, but the chances for a big rise in prices in that quarter are equally good if not better than on Grand avenue, as it is a well-known fact that George Capen, President of the Lindell Electric Railway Co., has his plans well advanced to extend a branch of his road from its present terminus at Vandeventer avenue and Market street, south over Lawrence avenue to Tower Grove Park, directly through the center of the 36,000 front feet to be sold. The public's experience with Mr. Capen makes his intention with regard to this enterprise nearly as good as a guarantee.

Bordering on the south of the property to be offered under the hammer is a reservation of the Shaw estate, and south of that again is Tyler Place on both of which tracts it has been decreed forever that no manufacturing establishments shall be located. This effectually protects the whole section from the inroads of smoky furnaces and disagreeable and unhealthy factory fumes. What more could a home-seeker or real estate operator desire to insure a safe and profitable investment? There is no brighter prospect in the world.

St. Louis increased its population over 50,000 last year. The World's Fair will bring millions of people into the Mississippi Valley, where hundreds of thousands of them will locate tributary to this city. St. Louis is going to entertain these people with public fetes and gorgeous spectacles of dazzling beauty for three successive fall seasons to come, at an expense of $3,000,000, a large portion of which money has already been subscribed. It requires no stretch of imagination to say that thousands of these guests will remain in St. Louis. They will swell the population to what extensive proportions who can guess, in view of the addition of over 50,000 inhabitants last year? These new comers and the natural increase of a city of 500,000 people will want habitations. They spread over ground very fast. Last year 10,000 houses were built here, taking up a street frontage of 200,000 feet, whereas during the same period only 150,000 front feet were added by new subdivisions to the property already upon the market. Under such conditions when could the chances for a quick and profitable investment in real property be more favorable than on the occasion of this great auction. The probabilities are that the land will go cheap, as it invariably does when so much of it is forced to a sale at one time. Big profits have already been realized from Tyler Place auction purchases, the second hand buyers having been among many people who attended that sale, but who did not bid.

Gentlemen and ladies are invited to attend this Grand avenue auction by the agents in charge.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash; balance in one and two years, with 6 per cent interest. $50 cash at bidding off each lot. Taxes for 1891 to be paid by the purchaser.

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BRONZE MONUMENT TO THE ANDREWS RAIDERS AT CHATTANOOGA.

Sketch of the Daring Expedition of a Squad of Federal Soldiers Under the Lead of a Kentucky Scout in 1862—Their Tragic Fate.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 23.—The bronze monument to the Andrews raiders was erected in the National Cemetery yesterday. It is in six sections, surmounted by a bronze locomotive, a fac simile in minature of the "General," the engine which the daring party of soldiers stole at Big Shanty, Ga., being captured while attempting to destroy bridges between here and Atlanta in 1863. Seven of them were hanged, eight of them being buried in the cemetery. Suitable inscriptions are on the tributs, which will be unveiled Decoration Day.

A DARING EXPEDITION.

The Andrews raid was one of the most daring feats attempted during the war, and failed of success by a very narrow margin. In the spring of 1862 the Union forces, under O. M. Mitchell, were stationed near Murphysboro, Tenn. Mitchell was contemplating a forward movement toward Alabama and Georgia and wished to destroy the Memphis & Charleston road in order to prevent reinforcements being sent to the rebels, or at least to so cripple its operations as to hamper the movements of troops.

Andrews, who was a civilian, suggested the idea of seizing a train and pushing north toward Chattanooga, destroying bridges as he went. The duty was of so dangerous a nature that Mitchell would not order any soldiers to accompany Andrews, but called for volunteers. Several hundred presented themselves, and from these fifteen were chosen.

Donning citizens' clothes they slipped through the rebel lines by twos and threes and met at Big Shanty, Ga. Andrews had secured a railroad time table and determined to seize a train that was not closely followed by any other. The train was selected, and as it drew up at the station it was seized, the telegraph lines were cut and the engine and one car carried the adventurous party north. Unfortunately there was an extra express on the road, which closely followed the regular train, and the time for operations were thus greatly impeded. Learning what had been done the rebel authorities placed a large party of troops on the train and pursued the raiders.

FLIGHT AND CAPTURE.

The destruction of the bridges along the road had to be abandoned and the daring Union soldiers were obliged to take to flight. One of the most picturesque races in history then ensued. The raiders made every effort to escape their pursuers, running their engine at top speed and frequently stopping to tear up rails. In this manner they managed to keep in advance for several hundred miles, but owing to lack of fuel were at last overhauled. Seeing capture to be inevitable, they reversed the engine, sent it back upon the pursuing train and took to the woods. Nearly all were captured, and as they were found in citizens' clothes, seven were tried as spies and executed at Atlanta, Ga.

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While George Roth, 21 years old, was flattening at the French Plate Glass-works, De Kalb and Anna streets, yesterday afternoon, a heavy plate of glass fell on his left arm, severing the main artery and otherwise severely lacerating the flesh. Roth was sent to his home at 811 Lami street.

Grand Avenue Hotel.

This valuable acquisition to the West End is now receiving guests. Mr. Jas. Gerardi, proprietor, will, in addition to a regular card, serve a table d'hote dinner daily from 6 to 8 p. m. and from 1 to 9 p. m.

Struck on the Head.

An iron wrench which fell from the belt of Joseph Loudon, a Bell Telephone Co. lineman at work on a pole at Morgan street and Vandeventer avenue about 2:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, struck on the head of Joseph Armstead, a negro, living at 610 North Vandeventer avenue, inflicting a severe scalp wound.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Retail Prices of Sundry Things That Cheer the Inner Man.

The trade at the Union Market has been active this week, except in meats, business in that line being very dull as the result of the fruit season. New cherries and blackberries are on the market, while dates, figs, Florida oranges and Malaga grapes are about out of season. There are a few Malaga grapes to be had and they command big prices, 60 cents per pound.

Vegetables—New vegetables continue to come in and prices are without much change. Green peas are 5c per quart cheaper than last week and sell for 10c. Home-grown cucumbers are scarce and sell at 15c apiece, while Southern grown sell at two for 15c. Green onions sell at four for 5c; string beans, 15c per quart; radishes, four bunches for 5c; home-grown beets, 10c per bunch; old potatoes, 40c per peck; old onions, 75c per peck; new Bermuda onions, $1 per peck; asparagus is selling cheaper, 5c per bunch, three for 10c; turnips, 15c a peck; rutabagas, 25c a peck; parsnips, 25c a peck; oyster plant, three bunches for 10c; watercress, 5c a bunch; hubbard squash, 15c to 25c; parsley, 20c a dozen; spinach, 10c a peck; cauliflower, 10c to 25c each; horse radish, grated, 10c a bottle; cucumbers, 12½c; radishes, 10c to 15c a bunch; Bermuda tomatoes, 50c to $1 per dozen; asparagus, fine large bunches, 20c each; rhubarb, 10c a bunch; summer squash, 10c apiece or three for 25c; morrells, 15c a quart; cabbage, 10@25c a head; lettuce, two and three head, 5c; new turnips, three for a dime; home-grown beets, two bunches for 5c.

Fruits—Florida oranges are out of season, and cherries and blackberries are in, but in light supply. Cherries are mostly from California, a few home-grown from southern Illinois; they sell at 50c per quart box. Blackberries are 25c per box. Oranges sell from 15c to 60c per dozen; pineapples, 20c to 40c each; lemons, 15c to 30c per doz.; strawberries are on the market in abundance, shipped stock 5c to 15c per quart; while home-grown sell at 10c per quart.

Fresh Meats—There is a very fair supply of meats. The prices are high and unchanged. Spring lambs are quoted at $1.25 to $2.50 per quarter; best cuts porterhouse, 20c to 25c per pound; sirloin and tenderloin cuts, 15c to 20c; rib roasts, 15c to 20c per pound; veal roasts and chops, 15c to 20c per pound; lamb chops and steaks, 15c to 20c per pound; pork, all varieties, 10c a pound; beef and pork sausages, 10c.

Fish, Fresh and Salted—There is a fair demand for fish with prices as follows: Red snapper sells for 12c to 15c per pound; lobster, 20c; fresh cod, 12c; catfish, 12½c; buffalo, 10c; lake salmon, 12½c; lake trout, 12½c; croppie, 12½c to 15c; pickerel, 12½c; fresh mackerel, 20c to 25c apiece; black bass, 15c a pound; pompano, 40c per pound; oysters, 20c to 40c a quart; halibut, 25c a pound; shad, 50c to 75c each; California salmon, 20c a pound; Spanish mackerel, 25c a pound; blue fish, 15c a pound; salmon roe, 10c a pound.

Dairy Products—Grass butter is on the market and can be had for from 15c to 20c per pound, with the best Elgin creamery at 25c; dairy butter 11c to 25c. Eggs continue at 15c per dozen. Best cream cheese, 20c; skimmed-milk cheese, 7½c to 10c; limburger cheese, 15c to 20c; Swiss cheese, 20c to 30c; American Swiss cheese, 20c; comb honey, 20c to 25c per pound; strained honey, 15c.

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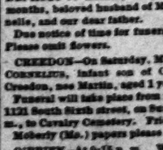

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DEATHS.

AULER—May 22, 9:45 a. m., after a short illness, DR. HUGO V. AULER, SR., aged 68 years and 10 months, beloved husband of Mary Auler, nee Brunnelle, and our dear father.

Due notice of time for funeral will be given later. Please omit flowers.

CREEDON—On Saturday, May 23, at 11:30 a. m., CORNELIUS, infant son of Cornelius J. and Mary Creedon, nee Mattie, aged 1 year.

Funeral will take place from family residence, No. 1121 South Sixth street, on Sunday, May 24, at 2 p. m., to Cavalry Cemetery. Friends invited to attend. Moberly (Mo.) papers please copy.

O'BRIEN—At 9:15 p. m., WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN, son of James O'Brien, age 25 years 4 months.

Funeral from family residence, 1212 Blair avenue, Sunday, May 24, at 2 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family invited to attend.

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THE YELLOW METAL.

Bankers Say the Gold Movement to Europe Will Soon Cease.

FURTHER SHIPMENTS WILL BE MADE, BUT NOT OF LARGE AMOUNTS.

Effect of the Check in the Tide on the Stock Market—Baron Bleichroder's Views on the European Financial Situation and Russia's Remarkable Demand for Gold.

NEW YORK, May 23.—There was a general expression of opinion among foreign banking-houses yesterday that the heaviest shipments of gold to Europe for the season had been made. It was admitted that some further sums might go, but they were not likely to reach important amounts, according to most views expressed. The result was a return of confidence to the stock market, which rose sharply 1 to 8 per cent on the day, to tempt of bear operators to cover outstanding contracts. The belief that the gold movement had virtually ceased was fostered by the cabled interview with the well-known Berlin banker, Baron Bleichroder, who declared that the requirements of Russia for gold to meet maturing bonds had been satisfied. The close relations between the financial centers of the German and the Russian Empires gave the utterance of the Baron marked weight.

A more important evidence that the European demand for American gold had ceased, in the minds of many bankers, was the dispatch from London that the Bank of England had reduced the price it was paying for American eagles one penny. The effect on the foreign exchange was not felt, but some dealers thought that firmer rates would follow. It was not believed, however, that the market could advance sufficiently to offset the bank's reduction, and it was conceded that the governors of the great English financial institution would bear in mind in any future step the need of allaying the uneasiness here growing out of the drain of gold.

The recent heavy engagements of wheat for shipment were also urged as evidence that natural conditions were working to place barriers against a renewal of the foreign demand for the yellow metal.

There was $2,000,000 in gold coin taken at the sub-treasury for shipment by yesterday's fast steamers. This includes the $1,000,000 ordered on Thursday by Baring, Magoun & Co. Including the $800,000 sent out of Boston by the steamer Scythof, the whole amount of the exports yesterday reached $3,800,000. This includes the sum of $200,000 gold taken by exporters in the open market here.

EUROPEAN SITUATION.

BARON BLEICHRODER DISCUSSES THE FINANCIAL OUTLOOK.

BERLIN, May 23.—Baron Bleichroder, the banker, who a few days ago treated the present financial situation as to South America in a general way especially as to the republics, he making the statement that not one of them would ever meet their financial obligations, desires now to recall this very general statement in so far as it applies to Brazil, but contends that all the other countries are unsound. He thinks that the present outlook in Europe is now much better than it was at the time he was interviewed before. The large importation of gold to Russia will come back by Nov. 1, or in time to pay for the harvest, explaining that the gold is being taken to that country to pay debts contracted in 1790 and 1850. In speaking of grain the Baron says that both England and France must buy from America this year.

Herr Barth, a leading member of the Reichstag and a high authority upon national economy, was also interviewed by the Associated Press correspondent on the financial situation as it exists. Herr Barth says that the prosperity of the United States during the year is an assured fact, but as to Europe he spoke doubtfully. The well-known gentleman says that Portugal is liable to go down any day and when it does it will shake to the very foundation every stock exchange in the world. He expresses dissatisfaction with the explanations given by financiers and politicians for the accumulation of gold being made by the Russian Government. There is little reason, he thinks, for the gold-hoarding policy recently adopted by Russia, and that a nation with a full treasury is a menace to the peace of Europe. Herr Barth says that the United States will be able this year to sell her crops at good prices.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

Reserves, increase	$ 304,800
Loans, decrease	5,657,400
Specie, decrease	2,494,000
Legal tenders, increase	974,000
Deposits, decrease	7,301,600
Circulation, decrease	10,500

The banks now hold $5,211,600 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent rule.

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CHURCH CHAT.

Y. M. C. A. News of Interest—Sabbath Announcements—Personals.

J. L. Parsons will preach next Sunday at First Christian Church, on Locust street near Compton avenue. Subject for the morning, "The Great Manifestation;" for the evening, "The Blessings of Obedience."

On next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings the ladies of the Visitation Parish will hold their annual fair and festival in the parish school hall, Taylor and Easton avenues. The ladies in charge of the several departments of the festival have been making arrangements for the past three or four weeks and have now everything prepared to make the festival an event to be remembered by all those who will attend.

The young ladies and gentlemen of St. Patrick Parish will give a grand excursion up the river under the auspices of the Young Ladies' and Young Men's Sodalities on the steamer Grand Republic Thursday evening, May 28. The proceeds will be used for building a new sodality hall. From present indications the excursion will be a grand success and one of the most pleasant and enjoyable affairs of the season. The boat will leave the foot of Locust street at 7 p. m. and will stop at North Market street at 7:30.

Children's Day will be observed at Lafayette Park Methodist Church Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. H. Werlein.

The young men's meeting at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Central Branch of the Y. M. C. A., Pine and Twenty-ninth streets, will be conducted by Mr. T. S. McPheeters. "The Ever Present Friend" will be the subject of the meeting at 8 o'clock this evening. All young men are welcome.

Dr. H. G. Nicks, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., and Mr. J. M. Dickson, will lead the business men's noon meetings at the Down Town Branch, 409 North Eleventh street, next week. The young men's meeting at that branch this evening will be led by Mr. E. V. Staley, and to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock by Maj. H. C. Wright. Young men are cordially invited to all these services.

Mr. Selden P. Spencer was honored with an invitation to deliver the anniversary address of the Young Men's Christian Association at Cleveland, but on account of the serious illness of his wife was compelled to decline.

Mr. James D. Husted, President of the Husted Investment Co. of Kansas City, Kan., and a prominent worker in the Y. M. C. A., was a caller at the Central Branch on Thursday last.

The parishioners of the Sacred Heart Parish, Rev. James McCabe, pastor, will give a St. Patrick party and festival Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, May 26 and 27. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to paying the indebtedness upon the newly erected convent. The leading ladies and gentleman of the parish have all entered into the work in preparation in the most enthusiastic manner and the affair will most undoubtedly be a great success. Mayor Noonan will be present at the opening of the festival.

The annual high mass for the spiritual and temporal welfare of the benefactors of the orphans will be offered at St. John's Church, Sixteenth and Chestnut streets, on Tuesday, May 26, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Rev. Frederic von Schluembach will address the young men's meeting at the South Side German Branch of the Y. M. C. A., 2001 Geyer avenue, on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The meeting will be conducted in the German language. Mr. Von Schluembach is in St. Louis for a few days to give several lectures under the auspices of this branch and will speak on Sunday evening, the 24th inst., in St. Paul's Evangelical Church, Ninth street and Lafayette avenue, and on Monday evening in the Soulard Market Hall, Eighth and Carroll streets. Admission free and everybody welcome.

PHOS-FERRONE for sleeplessness. Have a case sent home from Addington's, 700 Olive.

Struck by an Engine.

Joseph Jealfski, a Polander, was struck by a Wabash engine last evening and probably fatally hurt. Jealfski is a laborer employed at the Missouri Car Wheel-works, Cabanne avenue and Wabash tracks. About 5:30 o'clock he was crossing the yards near the works when he was struck by an engine pulling an east-bound passenger train and hurled to the side. The train was stopped and the injured man taken up. He was found to be insensible and was forwarded from the Union Depot to the City Hospital. An examination at the hands of the physicians in charge disclosed that he was internally hurt, but to exactly what extent could not at that time be ascertained. Jealfski is 24 years old. His address and social condition are unknown to the authorities.

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Plans for a Bridge Across the King's Highway—The Council Meeting Last Night—Pontoon Bridge Fight—To Inspect the Asylum—Notes.

A telegram was received this morning stating that the attorneys of Philip Francis Renaud of Bordeaux, France, were working on claims including half the town of Peoria, Ill., and a portion of St. Louis. City Counselor Marshall was seen this morning and asked if he had heard of the claims to property here. He said: "I do not know anything about the one you refer to. We have one here in which several people assert they own a portion of Carondelet Park. Some time ago the city allowed a claim of $87.50 made by August Didier, who married one of the heirs of Gabriel Constadt. Now the other claimants appear who assert they bought the rights of other heirs of Gabriel Constadt, whose claims are equally as good as the one allowed. These claimants want $1,000." Mr. Marshall has not as yet taken any action in the matter.

The King's Highway Bridge.

Street Commissioner Murphy has to some extent anticipated the present movement in favor of a bridge on King's highway, across the tracks south of the Manchester road. In his letter to the Mayor on Jan. 19 regarding the proposed boulevard system he shows the necessity for a bridge at the point designated and estimates the cost at $150,000. He also instructed Bridge Engineer Geyler to prepare more complete plans and estimates of the cost of a bridge that should properly be built on the line of what will no doubt be when completed one of the finest boulevards in the country. In addition to this he has included in his estimates a recommendation to the Comptroller that the sum of $60,000 be included in the annual appropriation bill for the approaches and foundation of the bridge. Plans are nearly completed in the Bridge Department showing what the general outline of the bridge will be. A survey of the locality in which the bridge will be placed shows one of the finest natural locations for a structure of this kind that exists anywhere in the Mill Creek or Des Peres Valley.

The clearance at the lowest point will be fully twenty feet and at the highest forty feet. This will be so far removed from the smoke and steam of passing trains as to do away entirely with the discomforts met with in crossing other points of the valley. The tracks of the Missouri Pacific will be between the north and center piers, and those of the San Francisco road will be between the center and south piers. Commissioner Murphy estimates that the bridge can be built sixty feet wide, complete for $150,000, or eighty feet wide for $190,000.

Council Meeting.

The Council met last night with all the members present except Mr. Horton.

Before the minutes were approved Mr. Cole suggested that the mistake made by the Secretary be corrected before the minutes went on record. The case referred to was a wrong commitment of bills. There were seven damage bills sent to the Public Improvement Committee instead of the Ways and Means. The bills had been reported and passed, so the vote was reconsidered and the whole lot sent back to the proper committee.

Mr. Anderson introduced an ordinance providing for the Sherman monument in front of the new City Hall, the city to pay $25,000 or one-half the cost. Mr. Anderson introduced a bill authorizing the Baden & St. Louis Railway to operate its line by electricity or cable and extending the line to the Chain of Rocks.

The City Register sent in the new bids for city printing.

Henry E. Hart was approved as Assessor for the Fourth District.

James A. Gulon was rejected and his appointment as jailer not confirmed.

The nomination of Henry Guibor for Superintendent of the House of Refuge was favorably reported by the committee, but not approved by the Council, and the candidate rejected.

A number of weighers and market-masters were confirmed.

A bill appropriating $6,000 for music in the parks was sent to engrossment.

Mr. James was given a leave of absence for one week.

The Council adjourned until Tuesday.

THE HOUSE.

The House of Delegates met last night. The bill fixing the rate of taxation for the coming year was passed. A bill was introduced giving the Recorder of Deeds another clerk, and the House adjourned.

Pontoon Bridge Fight.

On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock the pontoon bridge bill fight will be started in the Committee on Public Improvements of the Council.

This is the same fight as was going on in the last Council for the last year. A bill was originally introduced by John A. Robinson and others, asking the privilege of building a pontoon bridge across the river. It was finally passed and vetoed by the Mayor. It was reintroduced and then Daniel Cahill, John O'Malley and others introduced a similar bill with the terms a little more favorable to the city. Both bills failed to pass at the last session and were put in at the first meeting of the new Council.

The Robinson bill fixes the charges at four-fifths of the charge of existing bridges and ferries and pays the city 5 per cent of the gross receipts, while the Cahill bill fixes the rates at two-thirds of the charges of existing bridges or ferries and agrees to pay the city $1,500 a year.

Mr. Robinson and his associates claim that the other bill is merely a selling out scheme, introduced to force them into a purchase or a compromise. The fight promises to be a hot one.

To Inspect the Insane Asylum.

The Charity Board has taken on its annual spurt and shows signs of activity, and this afternoon Mr. Calhoane, better known as "King" Calhoane, father of the present Councilman, S. S. Bass, the attorney, and Mr. Battle will visit the Insane Asylum on a tour of inspection and then make a report. The Charity Board is appointed by the Mayor and is clothed with the scant privilege of making investigations and reports.

Another Case of Small-Pox.

Another case of small-pox was taken from the lodging-house, No. 409 North Levee, this morning. The patient's name was Thomas Smith. He was a laborer, 22 years of age, and had been stopping at the lodging at intervals for some time past. He was sent immediately to the Quarantine.

Ingoldsby's Design Praised.

Mr. F. S. Ingoldsby of the Public Improvements Department received two letters from the World's Fair officials in Chicago praising his design for a mammoth monument and asserting that his plan was the best and most original yet submitted. They state that they cannot make it a part of the Fair or have it built with Fair money, but suggest that it be erected by private enterprise on adjoining property. Mr. Ingoldsby's idea is to build a statue of labor raising the world. The whole structure is to be 400 feet high.

ST. ENGLEBERT'S CHURCH.

The Corner-Stone to Be Laid Sunday Afternoon, June 1.

The corner-stone of St. Englebret's, a new German Catholic Church, in the extreme northern section of the city, will be laid with imposing ceremonies on Sunday afternoon, June 1. The church is to be located at Marcus and Anderson avenues, in the center of a new and growing parish, and one that has long been needed in that part of the city. The corner-stone will be laid by the German Vicar-General, Muhlseipen, the sermon will be preached by Father Hoffman, rector of St. Henry's Church. A large number of the Catholic societies have been visited and will be present. The edifice when complete will cost between $15,000 and $18,000. The rector will be Rev. Father Anton Pauck, formerly of Glasgow, Mo., but now an assistant to Rev. Father Joseph Schroeder, rector of the Holy Trinity Church.

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Aller,	Sat.,	May 30	Elbe,	Wed.,	June 10
Lahn,	Tues.,	June 2	Eider,	Sat.,	June 13
Kaiser,	Wed.,	June 3			

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Our 28-page complete price list of groceries, woodenware, wagons, buggies, sewing machines, etc., will be sent gratuitously to merchants only, on application.

Sugar—Granulated, 4⅝c; powdered, 5¼c; fine powdered, 5⅜c; cut loaf, 5¼c; yellow, 3 15-16@4 5-16c.

Coffee—Green—O. G. Java, 27@30c; Mocha, 29c; Peaberry, 23½c; golden Rio, 23½c; fancy dark Rio, 22c; choice, 21½c; prime, 21c; good, 20½c; fair, 20c; common, 19½c.

Coffee—Roasted—Arbuckle, Lion and "1838," 1-lb packs, 25.10-lb boxes, Buffalo, 130-lb bags, 22½c; tan, 130-lb bags, 26c; Phœnix, 130-lb bags, 25½c; Challenge, 130-lb bags, 25c; No. 99, 130-lb bags, 24c; No. 1, 130-lb bags, 23½c; D. S. & Co., Java and Mocha, 50-lb and 3-lb tins, 33½c.

Molasses—H. B., fancy, 40c; St. George, choice, 38c; Eliza, prime, 36c; A. H. G., good, 33c; E. A. W., fair, 28c.

Syrup—Sugar, Buffalo, fancy, 46c; brilliant, choice, 40c; diamond drips, prime, 36c; crown, good, 32c; corn, 28c; sorghum, 33@37c.

Rice—Fancy, 7¼c; choice, 6¾c; prime, 6¼c; good, 6c.

Coal Oil—150 deg., 9c; Eupion, 9¾c; Elaine, 17½c; gasoline, 9½c.

Canned Fruits—Apples, 3s, $1; gal., $3.50; blackberries, 2s, 80c; cherries, 2s, $1.35; gooseberries, 2s, $1.10; peaches, 2s, seals, $1.90; 3s, seals, $2.25; 3s, std's white, $2.40; yellow, $2.50; 3s, pie, $1.60; pineapples, 2s, $1.50; 3s, sliced, $2.40; grated, 2s, $2.60; raspberries, 2s, $1.40; strawberries, 2s, $1.40.

Canned Fruits—Apricots, 2s, $2.25@2.40; blackberries, $2.50; cherries, white, $2.75; black, $2.50; damsons, $2.50; egg plums, $2.25; Crawford's peaches, $2.75; pears, $2.75; pie, $2.50.

Canned Vegetables—Asparagus, $2.50; baked beans, 2s, $1.50@1.70; lima beans, 95c; string beans, 75c; corn, Western, $1.05@1.10; Maine corn, $1.20@1.50; peas, mft., $1.05; early June, $1.30; ex. sft., $1.35; sugar peas, 90c; succotash, $1; tomatoes, 2s, 75c; 3s, $1; Buffalo, 3s, $1.05.

Canned Fish—Clams, $1.05; codfish balls, 2s, $1.35; crabs, 1s, $2.25; 2s, $2.75; lobsters, 1s, $2.10; mackerel, 1s, 90c; genuine, $1.25; oysters, 1s, 70@95c; 2s, 90c@$1.25; 3s, $2.40; salmon, Alaska, $1.05@1.25; Columbia River, $1.30@1.65; white fish, 1s, $1.25; 2s, $2.40; sardines, American, ¼s, $3.80; mustard, ¼s, $4.30; imported, ¼s, $9.00 @15.

Canned Meats—Chipped beef, 1s, $2.30@2.50; corned beef, 1s, $1.20; 2s, $1.95; chicken, 2s, $2.60; 10-oz potted, $2.85; chili concarne, 2s, $2.25; duck, 10-oz, $3; ham, 5-oz, 75c; 10-oz, $1.30; 1-lb, $2.25; 1½s, $3.25; sausage, ½s, ham, $1.70; 1s, ham, $2.50; 1s, tongue, 5-oz, 75c; 10-oz, $1.25; turkey, 10-oz, $2.90.

Preserves—20-lb pails, 8c; 5-lb pails, 9c; 1-lb, 10c.

Condensed Milk—Eagle, $7.35; crown, $6.10; dime, $3.35.

Ammunition—Powder, 15-lb kegs, $5.50; shot, patent, 25-lb bags, $1.40; Elv caps, per M, 60c; U. M. C., per M, 50c; G. D., per M, 35c.

Baking Powder—Price's—10s, $4.75; ½s-lbs, $2.50; ¼s-lbs, $1.35. Royal—10s, $4.90; ½s-lbs, $2.65; ¼s-lbs, $1.75. Buffalo—10s, $2.90; ½s-lbs, $1.60; ¼s-lbs, 90c. Town Talk—1-lb, $3.25. Acme—Lbs, $3.50; 12-oz, $2.75; ½-lbs, $1.90; 6-oz, $1.45; ¼-lbs, $1; 3-oz, 80c.

Beans—Navy, $2.45; medium, $2.40; lima, 7½ lb, 5¾c.

Flour—G. B.-G. Co.'s "Best" roller patents, $5.70; ex. fcy., $5.15; fcy., $4.70; choice family, $4.25. Rye, $5.10. E. D. meal, $3.25. Hominy, $3.85@3.90. Buckwheat, pure, 35; patent, $4.50.

Candles—Star, 9c; hotel, 10½c; paraffine, 11@13c.

Chocolate—Baker's premium, 34c; sweet, 22c.

Cocoanut—Van Houten's, 1-lb, 72c; ½-lbs, 36c; ¼-lbs, 18c.

Cocoa—Van Houten's, 1-lb, 72c; ½-lbs, 36c; ¼-lbs, 18c.

Candies—Stick, 7½c; royal, 7½c; mixed, 8@12½c.

Cider—$6@7.50 ₱ bbl.

Cheese—Young America, 13½c; Wisconsin full cream, 12½c; New York factory, 9c; imported Swiss, 26@28c; Edam, $10 ₱ doz.

Cocoanut—Perfection, 15-lb box, 4½-lb and 1-lb, assorted, 25-lb pails, 15c.

Crackers—Soda, 6c; ginger snaps, 8½c; cream, 8½c; sugar, 8½c; cakes and jumbles, 12c, less 15 per cent.

Extracts—Buffalo, 2-oz lemon, $1.15; 2-oz vanilla, $1.75; Oriental, 2-oz, lemon 65c; 2-oz vanilla, 90c.

Farinaceous Goods—Barley, 4½c; cracked wheat, bbls, $7.75; cases, $3.75; oat meal, Buffalo, bbls, $7 50; cases, $3.85; peas, green, ₱ bu $1.20; rolled oats, Buffalo, bbls, $7.50; cases, $3.85; tapioca, 6½c.

Dried Fruit, Domestic—Apples, 10¾@11c; evaporated, 11c; peaches, 9c, 7½c; blackberries, 5c; huckleberries, 7½c; cherries, 24c; raspberries, 25c; California evaporated peaches, 18c; apricots, 18@20c; prunes, 10c.

Dried Fruit, Foreign—Currants, casks, 5½c; cases, 7c; citron, 17c; dates, Fard, 12-lb boxes, 6c; Persian, 70-lb cases, 4c; figs, 14@16c; grapes, 6½c; lemon peel, 11½c; prunes, Turkis, bbls, 6½c; French, 55-lb boxes, 10@11½c; raisins, Valencia, 7c; Malaga, 7½c; California raisins, muscatel, $2.15@2.60; L. L., $2.40@3.

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Cantharides—Russian, ₱ lb, 75c.

Cinchonidine—Pure, ₱ oz, 20c.

Iodine—Resublimated, ₱ oz, 40c.

Iron—Carbonate, precipitated, ₱ lb, 18c.

Lead Acetate—White, ₱ lb, 18c.

Mace—₱ lb, 85c.

Madder—Dutch, ₱ lb, 12c.

Magnesia—Carbonate, K. & M., ½, ₱ lb, 22c; calcined, ₱ lb, 45c.

Manna—₱ lb, 60c.

Mercury—₱ lb, 75c; with chalk, ₱ lb, 50c.

Morphia—Sulph., ½, P. & W., ₱ oz., $2.45.

Mustard—Colman's, 6-lb cans, ₱ lb, 30c; Colman's, ¼-lb cans, 1 doz, $1.25.

Nutgalls—Ground, ₱ lb, 25c; powdered, ₱ lb, 30c.

Nutmegs—No. 1, Penang, ₱ lb, 75c.

Oils—Anise, ₱ lb, $2; almonds, sweet, ₱ lb, 40c; bergamont, pure, ₱ lb, $4.50; castor, No. 1, ₱ gal, $1.30; castor, No. 2, 95c; 1-oz, 25c; castor, machine, ₱ gal, 35c; cassia, ₱ lb, $1.30; cloves, ₱ lb, $1.25; hemlock, ₱ lb, 35c; juniper wood, 40c; juniper berries, ₱ gal, $2.25; lard, extra, ₱ gal, 60c; lemon, pure, ₱ lb, $2.75; linseed, raw, ₱ gal, 55c; linseed, boiled, ₱ gal, 58c; neatsfoot, ₱ gal, 50c; organum, ₱ lb, 40c; olive, Malaga, ₱ gal, $2.50; peppermint, pure, ₱ lb, $3.25; pennyroyal, ₱ lb, $1.75; sassafras, ₱ lb, 50c.

Orange Peel—Per ₱ lb, 12c; ground, ₱ lb, 15c; powdered, ₱ lb, 20c.

Phosphorus—Red, Singapore, ₱ lb, 12c; black powdered, ₱ lb, 18c.

Potash—Chlorat, ₱ lb, 16c; iodid, ₱ lb, $2.80.

Quinine—P. & W., ₱ oz vials, ₱ oz, 38c.

Red Precipitate—Per ₱ lb, $1.05.

Root—Ginger, Africa, ₱ lb, 9c; ginger, Africa, powdered, ₱ lb, 12c; ginger, Jamaica, bleached, ₱ lb, 20c; ginger, powdered, ₱ lb, 24c; ipecac, powdered, ₱ lb, $2.50; jalap, powdered, ₱ lb, 50c; orris, powdered, ₱ lb, 25c; rhubarb, P. & W., select, ₱ lb, $1; rhubarb, powdered, ₱ lb, 75c; sarsaparilla, hon. ground, ₱ lb, 40c; squills, sliced, ₱ lb, 15c; seneca, ₱ lb, 50c; valerian, ₱ lb, 25c.

Saffron—America, ₱ lb, 35c.

Sage—Pressed quarters and halves, ₱ lb, 10c.

Silver—Nitrate, ₱ oz, 75c.

Soda—Bi. carb. Eng., ₱ lb, 3½c.

Seed—Anise, ₱ lb, 15c; canary, ₱ lb, 4c; cardamon, ₱ lb, $1; flax, cleaned, ₱ lb, 3c; flax, ground, ₱ lb, 4c; hemp, Russian, ₱ lb, 5c; mustard, white, ₱ lb, 7c; mustard, black, ₱ lb, 10c; rape, ₱ lb, 5c; cardamon, ₱ lb, $1; flax, cleaned, ₱ lb, 3c; flax, ground, ₱ lb, 4c; hemp, Russian, ₱ lb, 5c; mustard, white, ₱ lb, 7c; mustard, black, ₱ lb, 10c; rape, ₱ lb, 5c; sunflower, ₱ lb, 14c.

Soap—Castile, mottled, ₱ lb, 7c; castile, white, ₱ lb, 14c.

Strychnia—Crystal, in ¼, ₱ oz, $1.20; powdered, in ¼, per oz, $1.20.

Sulphur—Flour, ₱ lb, 4c.

Wax—Bees, yellow, ₱ lb, 33c; bees, white, ₱ lb, 50c.

White Precipitate—₱ lb, $1.10.

Zinc—Sulphate, ₱ lb, 10c.

COMMERCIAL.

Closing Prices—1:15 P. M.

ST. LOUIS:

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
May	102¾ b			102 b
June	101½ b	100	100	100¾ b
July	95¾@9⅞	97⅜	94½	94¾ b
Aug.	94¼ b	93¾	93	93¼ b
Sept.	....	....	....	....
Dec.	97	98	95¼	95⅞
CORN.				
May	53¼ a	52	52	52
June	....	51½	50⅜	50⅜ b
July	52 b	50	49⅝	49⅝
Sept.	....			
OATS.				
May	46¼ a	44	44	43¼ a
July	40	39¾	39¼	39½
Aug	33¼ a	33¾	33⅛	33⅜
Sept.	33¼ b	33½	33⅛	33⅜

CHICAGO.—Reported by Frank J. Brown, rooms 120 and 152, Chamber of Commerce.

WHEAT.				
July	1.00	99¼	98⅜	98⅜
CORN.				
July	54	53⅜	51½	51⅜
OATS.				
July	42⅜	41⅝	41	41⅜ b
PORK.				
July	11.05	11.00	10.62½	10.70
LARD.				
July	6.42½	6.42½	6.30	6.32½
SHORT RIBS.				
July	5.97½	5.90	5.82½	5.87½

CHICAGO — Wheat — Closing — May, ...; July, 98@98c; Aug., 95@96c; b; Sept., 95c; Dec., 93@94c; year, 94c. Corn—May, 54¾c; July, 51¾c; Aug., 51½c; Sept., 50⅜c. Oats—June, ...; July, 41⅜c b; Aug., 34½c; Sept., 33½c. Pork—July, $10.70; Sept. $10.97½@11.27½ b. Lard—July, 6.32½c; Sept., 6.57c. Short ribs—July, 5.87½c; Sept., 6.12½@6.15c.

NEW YORK—Wheat—May, $1.11⅛; June, $1.10⅞ a; July, $1.07⅝ a; Aug., $1.04¾ a; Sept., $1.03½; Dec., $1.04⅜.

Corn—May, 65c; June, 60⅝c b; July, 59⅜c; Aug., 58¾c. Oats—May, 49c n; June, 48¼c; July, 47¾c a.

TOLEDO.—Wheat—Cash, $1.07½; May, $1.07½; July, 99½c; Aug., 97½c; Dec., 99½c.

Receipts and Shipments

Of leading articles at St. Louis for the twenty-four hours ending Saturday, May 23, 1891, and corresponding day in 1890, as reported by the Merchants' Exchange:

Articles.	Receipts by River and Rail. 1891	Receipts by River and Rail. 1890.	Shipments by River and Rail. 1891.	Shipments by River and Rail. 1890.
Flour, bbls.	5,767	3,887	6,280	7,294
Wheat, bu.	13,315	14,078	97,000	1,400
Corn, bu.	49,450	197,375	39,443	109,862
Oats, bu.	61,180	65,040	15,272	17,095
Rye, bu.	....	2,200	500	4,962
Barley, bu.	1,363	650	9	....
Brans, shipstuffs, sks	179	142	190	1,357
Dry, in bulk, cars	1	1	2	4
Corn meal, bbls	....	....	251	45
Cotton, bls	63	8	2,903	180
Cotton, local	....	....	....	....
through	1,168	....	....	....
Hay, tons	454	293	94	270
Pork, bbls.	....	....	81	31
Hams, lbs.	250	50,000	35,050	60,000
Meats, lbs.	531,805	449,215	331,367	1,060,593
Lard, lbs.	900	34,073	100,496	237

94@95c, 440 at 95c, 60 at 95@95¼c, 240 at 95¼c, 20 at 95@95¼c, 60 at 95¼c, 40 at 95@95¾c, 20 at 95¾c, 40 at 95@96c, 10 at 95¾c. Aug.—60 at 93c, 40 at 93¼c, 55 at 93@93¼c, 40 at 93¾@93¾c, 40 at 93¾c, 60 at 93¾c, 55 at 93@93¾c. Dec.—75 at 95@95c, 45 at 95¾c, 15 at 95@96c, 20 at 95¾@96c, 95 at 95c, 60 at 96¼c, 5 at 95¾c.

Corn—May—10 at 52c, July—5 at 50¾c, 105 at 50¼c, 10 at 50¾@50¾c, 150 at 50¾c, 10 at 50¾@50¾c, 145 at 50¾c, 115 at 50¾c, 25 at 50¾c, 60 at 50¾c, 115 at 51c, 105 at 51¼c, 20 at 51¼@51¾c, 180 at 51¼c, 5 at 51¾c, 20 at 51½c. Sept.—5 at 49¾c, 25 at 50c.

Oats—May—5 at 44c, July—10 at 39¼c, 5 at 39¾c, 10 at 40c. Aug.—5 at 38½c, 30 at 38¾c. Sept.—5 at 33¾c.

Movement of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Wheat.	Corn.	Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis	13,315	48,450	976	30,443
Chicago	31,476	442,402	51,462	106,611
Toledo	6,181	1,427	1,000	2,600
Detroit	6,181	1,427	1,221	.....
Milwaukee	22,700	3,460	550	.....
Minneapolis	281,600	.....	17,640	.....
Duluth	77,926	.....	224,008	85,612
New York	124,000	92,200	7,996	53,623
Baltimore	21,810	5,830	.....	8,026
Philadelphia	6,225	5,206	16,800	10,063

Grain Inspections.

INSPECTED IN.

Wheat.	Cars.	Corn.	Cars.
No. 2 red	7	No. 2	23
No. 3 red	—	No. 3	6
Rejected	—	No. 2 white	—
No. 4	2	No. 2 white	11
No. 2 hard winter	—	No. 3 do	1
No. 3 do	—	No. 4 do	—
No. 2 hard spring	—	No. 2 St. Charles	—
No. 3 hard spring	—	No. 2 yellow	—
Rejected do	—	No grade	1
No. 2 Colorado	—	No. 2 color	—
No. 3 do	—	No. 3 do	—
Total	14	Total	42

Oats—No. 2, 14 cars; No. 3, 6 cars; No. 4, 1 car; No. 2 white, — cars; No. 3 do, 11 cars; No. 2 mixed, — cars; No. 3 do, 4 do, —; no grade, —; total, 29 cars.

Rye—No. 2, 2 cars; No. 3, — car; No. 4, —; rejected, —.

Barley—No. 2 spring, — car; No. 3 do, —; rejected, —.

Inspection Out: Wheat—No. 2 red, 19 cars; No. 3 red, — cars; No. 4, —; rejected, 11 no grade, —. No. 2 hard, 2,685 bus; No. 3 do, 1 car; No. 2 hard spring, — car; No. 3 do 2; rejected do, —; No. 2 soft spring, — car; No. 2 Colorado, 1; No. 3 do, — cars.

Corn—No. 2, 3 cars; No. 3, — cars; No. 4, — car; No. 2 white, — cars; No. 3 white, — cars; No. 2 color, — car; No. 3 color, — cars; no grade, — cars.

Oats—No. 2, 4 cars; No. 3, 3 cars; No. 4, — cars; No. 2 white, 7 cars; No. 3 do, 2 cars; No. 2 color, — car; No. 3 color, — cars; no grade, — cars.

Rye—No. 2, — cars; No. 3, — car.

Barley—No. 2 spring, 1 car; No. 3, 1 car; rejected, — cars.

ON 'CHANGE.

Grain and Flour.

Wheat—The weather was unseasonably cool in this vicinity and the week's exports the largest on the crop, but about everything else favored the bear side and 4@5c drop in price was seen before 10 o'clock. Illinois State report, saying the condition of the crop was the highest since 1882, was a hard blow to the bulls and gave their opponents a powerful influence on their side. The English markets were also lower and dull. Paris was reported easier on an expectation that the duty would not be lowered and the weather abroad favorable. All domestic markets were playing downward and very weak, the receipts fair and the day's export clearances were only 11,000 pkgs flour and 24,000 bu wheat. On the early break some long wheat came out, but most of the selling was for short account. Commission was good and considerable for exporting concerns, and after the first break the market steadied. Then a whole lot of bull literature was let loose. Was from export buying in different points, a bad crop report from Russia to a statement that Portugal would take off 2,000,000 bu. But all was of no avail all this the market became very weak again and sold lower than it did on the first break. Subsequently there was little recovery, and the close was heavy at 1@1¼c below yesterday.

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SAMPLES—There was little life to the demand, though the small offerings were about all cleaned up. A couple of lots of mustard, white, by sample sold at 1c to 1½c decline.

Sales: Special bin—1 car No. 3 spring at 86c. Track this side—1 car No. 2 red at $1.00¾; 2 No. 2 at $1.00¾. Sacks—3 at 95c, 145 at 97c, 10 at $1.50 at $1.02¾. Short rib—1 at $1.01, 20 at $1.02, 22 at $1.02½.

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Oats—The market felt the effects of the demoralized cash market and May was offered here at 39¾c below the new style yesterday. It is selling at 44c and later having sellers at 43¾c. July declined 1c, with sales at 40c to 39¾c. The following were the sales of oats on call: May, selling at 39¾c to 39¾c, and Sept. at 33¾c. For May, 92, 39c was bid.

SPOT GRADES—No. 2 was offered regular at 44¼c, bid 44c; No. 2 white at 46c, bid 45c; No. 3 white at 45@c and No. 3 at 43c, no bids for either.

Rye—90 bu No. 2 regular sold at 44¼c.

SAMPLES—The market was completely demoralized by the large receipts and practically no demand. Hardly any orders were received here, the local feeders were standing off, feeling entirely independent with the exception of the condition it was and the tables covered with samples that could not be sold. Offerings were excessive and, though sellers were only too anxious to accept 1½c decline, even that sharp concession failed to induce buyers to take hold. Sales: Special bin—3 cars No. 2 and 3 white at 46c. No. 2 white at 44c. No. 2 white at 44@c. 1 choice No. 2 and 1 No. 3 white at 45c. 1 No. 2 white at 45¾c, 1 do at 46c, 1 fancy do at 46@c, 3 No. 2 white (early) at 50c. Packed lots on orders 1@54c.

Rye—Lower again, 1½ car No. 2 in M. and 1 car in St. L., selling at 92c.

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KISSED IN THE STREET.

Husband and Wife Arrested by a Boston Policeman.

BOSTON, Mass., May 23.—A good many queer things are done in Boston, but the latest oddity was the arrest last night of a man and his wife for kissing each other on the street. The policeman whose finer sense of the proprieties of life led him to arrest the couple was Patrolman Maguire. The culprits were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Noyes. That is the name they gave in court, but as the young couple move in the best society in East Boston, and as the husband is a prominent boot and shoe dealer, their real names were not given. Mrs. Noyes, as she called herself, is a handsome young woman, and those who saw her in court this morning did not blame her husband for kissing her, even on the street. But they were not on the sidewalk; they were in a doorway waiting for an East Boston car. They had been visiting a friend and had remained until a late hour. As there appeared to be no one in sight, Mr. Noyes put his arms around his wife and kissed her three or four times.

Policeman Maguire, who had been standing in a doorway on the opposite side of the street, saw the kissing and interposed an objection in the name of the law. Mr. Noyes very properly told him it was none of his business and refused to "move on" when ordered to do so. That made the policeman mad, and he arrested husband and wife for disorderly conduct. In court Lawyer Pelton, who conducted their defense, characterized the arrest as the most outrageous act ever performed by a policeman.

"Is it a crime," he asked, "for a man to kiss his wife on the street? If people are to be arrested on such trivial matters as this it won't be safe for a man and woman to walk together."

Judge Burke said that he did not think the arrest an outrage, as the fact of their kissing each other on the street was certainly an unusual action to the officer, who did not know their relations to each other. He thought it would have been better for them to have deferred their kissing until they had reached their home, but it certainly was not a criminal act for them to kiss each other on the street. He ordered their discharge.

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TITLE TO COAL LANDS.

Claim Against the Lehigh Company's 9,000-Acre Tract.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 23.—President Jos. L. Harris of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co., speaking of the story that the company's title to 9,000 acres of coal land in and about Tamaqua, and valued at $7,000,000, is defective, that the land really belongs to the heirs of Burkhard Moser and that the company has offered $1,000,000 to the heirs in part settlement to clear the title, said: "We have not offered $1,000,000 or 1 cent to any heirs, and our title to the lands is perfect, absolutely perfect. This claim is not entirely new, having been agitated a year or two ago, but there is nothing to base it on. Our attorney has told me that our title is as clear as anything can be."

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The largest and best assortment of Steamer, Dress, Saratoga and Gents' trunks of every description, and a full line of Seal, Alligator and Grain Leather bags and satchels, can be had at prices to suit the times, from the old reliable house of P. C. Murphy, Third and St. Charles streets.

Terre Haute Police Muddle.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 23.—The Metropolitan Police lawyers got out a restraining order last night to prevent the city authorities from further interfering with the police force. This brought to an end the two days' division of the force. The hearing is set for Monday. The Metropolitans will insist on remaining in charge until the Supreme Court decides the law unconstitutional, holding that their appeal bond from the local court serves as a stay.

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Will Investigate Seal Poaching.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—J. Stanley Brown, who was recently appointed by the Treasury Department to go to Alaska and make an investigation in regard to the seal poaching, has arrived here and, in company with Col. W. H. Williams, Special Agent of the Treasury Department, will leave for Alaska on the revenue cutter Rush. It is expected the Rush will leave here next week.

Trunks and Bags.

If you want a good, honest Trunk or Bag, something you can depend on, call and see C. H. Hickman, No. 4 South Broadway.

No Opium on Board.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., May 23.—Collector of Customs Bradshaw has received a dispatch stating that the schooner Halcyon, which was reported to have a large amount of opium on board, is now in Barclay Sound, B. C. As far as known there is not a pound of opium on the vessel, and it is evident if she brought the opium from Hongkong it was discharged at Honolulu.

Half Fare Excursions East.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will sell tickets from St. Louis to Hagerstown, Md., and return at rate of $30, from May 20 to June 1 inclusive, good for return until June 30. For further information call on or address A. J. Lytle, G. W. P. A., 105 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

THE PROPER THING.

General Approval of the California Club's Action.

JACKSON AND CORBETT WILL NOT GET THE FULL PURSE.

A Purse Offered for Another Fight and All Bets Declared Off—Conviction of a Prize Fighter in Ohio—St. Louis Loses at Boston—Racing and General Sporting News.

The action of the California Athletic Club Directors last night in awarding Peter Jackson and Jim Corbett $2,500 apiece for their battle Thursday night and a purse of $7,500 for a match in the future, on some date to be set by the men themselves, meets with general approval. In fact the only objection urged is that the club was a little too generous in their allowances. If they had decided to give the men but $1,500 a piece, a little more than enough to pay them for their time and training expenses, it would probably have been more satisfactory to the general public. People have tired of seeing men pitted against each other for big purses, making draws of contests without either man being punished, and dividing the money between them. There have been too many fights of this kind of late and the public want to see a fight when a large purse is offered. The only way to make men fight is to give them to understand that the battle must be to a finish and that in the event of a draw, neither will be paid anything. The athletic clubs will secure much better contests when they adopt such rules.

While Thursday night's battle was a very scientific one, it was not very creditable to the contestants, that two 190-pound men fought in a ring for over four hours without either being able to hurt the other. Jackson claimed that his shoulder played out, and Corbett that his left arm was rendered helpless by repeated punches he received on it in warding off blows. Not a knock down was scored in the entire contest and neither man was marked. Blood was very scarce. Each man gives the excuse that he did not want to take any chances as he wished to protect his friends who had money bet on him. That is the excuse given by every pugilist who engages in a fiasco. Their friends are tired of being placed under constant obligation by this method of protection, and the public is tired hearing this tale. What the friends and backers of pugilists want is a man who will take a few chances and win some money for them instead of giving them all this worriment over a wager which in the end gives no return.

It is now the general opinion that if the men ever meet again Corbett will win. Some people who witnessed the fight claim that Jackson was not the man he was when he met Cardiff, McAuliffe and Godfrey, and this gives color to the story that his constitution has been wrecked by dissipation. It is claimed he cannot hit the same blow. Whether the men fight again or not, all bets on this contest have been decared off by the California Club.

A PRIZE FIGHTER CONVICTED.

ATHENS, O., May 23.—Dave Seville, aged 21, of Columbus, who killed Arthur Majesty in a prize fight of Feb. 4 was convicted in court here yesterday for prize fighting. He is yet to be tried for the killing. The referee and seconds will also be tried for participating in a prize fight, the penalty for which in this State is from one to ten years.

THE TURF.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 23.—The Board of Review of the National Trotting Association practically finished its labors at last night's session.

In the important matter of union brought up by the recent meeting of the Register Association it was resolved that the President appoint a committee "to confer with like committees from similar associations with reference to the adoption of a more harmonious system for advancing the trotting interests of the country."

Resolutions of regret were also adopted regarding the deaths of the Hon. Wm. H. Strickland of Bangor, Me., a member of the Board, and Judge Jas. Grant of Iowa, for many years its President.

A committee was appointed "to secure from the World's Fair authorities recognition of the American trotting horse interests commensurate with its importance as the leading live stock industry of the country."

The case of F. M. Gilchrist, alias G. F. Harrington of Leominister, Mass., W. S. Adam of Townsend, Mass., and the black gelding "Winnijucan," Adams was fined $100 and suspended with his honor until payment of the fine. Gilchrist was expelled. John McCoy of St. Johns, New Brunswick, was denied an application for removal of expulsion imposed Dec. 7, 1889. T. B. Cook of Binghamton, N. Y., was released from suspension imposed Oct. 29, 1890.

THE LATONIA DERBY.

CINCINNATI, O., May 23.—At beautiful Latonia, where the graceful hills surround the plain like a natural wall the first trials of speed among 600 ambitious colts and veterans stabled within the grounds will be made this afternoon. All the signs are favorable, the long list of noted flyers, the finely appointed course, the tried and successful starter, Mr. James F. Sheridan, and the swarm of bookmakers who will fill the betting sheds with their calls for ventures all point to a highly successful meeting. This is Derby day, but the managers do not throw open the gates for free admission, and therefore there is not the old English Derby crowd expected.

Nevertheless there is a keen interest in the contest that will bring together the winner of the Kentucky Derby at Louisville, and several of his antagonists. Kingman, the winner there, is favorite here, though he carries 126 pounds. High Tariff is also regarded highly. Balgowan has many friends. So has Vallera and Allan Bane. Poet Scout, the maiden, has given high promise from recent work. Georgetown is said to have overcome recent difficulties and will be in good condition to-day. Pools Balgowan sold above Kingman, while Vallera and Georgetown sold equal, with High Tariff above them, Dickerson and Hart Wallace are lowest.

There are six races to-day—the first, having twenty entries, was divided. The Derby is the fourth race.

GRAVESEND MEETING.

NEW YORK, May 23.—At Gravesend yesterday, through the indifferent riding of Garrison, the filly Reclare ran a dead heat with Prince Royal in the opening race, and the race was not run off, the owners of the horses preferring to divide the purse. Father Bill Daly's Lepanto, a 30 to 1 shot, won the Falcon Stakes for 3-year-olds. India Rubber, at 15 to 1, was second, and Hoodlum, 25 to 1, third. Chatham was the favorite. Baldwin, another 30 to 1 shot, won the following race.

First race, a sweepstake, one mile—Prince Royal appeared to have the race won, but Taylor brought Reclare up with a rush in the last sixteenth and appeared to win by a good head. The judges made it a dead heat, with Nelly Bly third, two lengths away. Time, 1:44½.

Second race, a sweepstakes for 2-year-olds, five furlongs—Promenade won by a length and a half from Anna B., who beat Ninone six lengths for the place. Time, 1:03¾.

Third race, a handicap sweepstakes, one mile and a sixteenth—Longstreet won easily by two lengths, while Senorita beat Bermuda the same distance for the place. Time, 1:53½.

Fourth race, the Falcon Stakes, for 3-year-olds; $50 each, with $1,000 added, winner to be sold at auction, one mile and a sixteenth—Lepanto won by a length from India Rubber, who beat Hoodlum a half length for the place. Time, 1:51¾.

Fifth race, a beaten-weight handicap sweepstakes, six furlongs—Baldwin won by three parts of a length from Tanner, who beat Belwood two lengths for the place. Time, 1:16¾.

Fifth race, selling, mile and a furlong—Carroll won easily by a neck from Frontenac, who beat Kingbridge two lengths for a place. Time, 1:56.

LOUISVILLE RACES.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 23.—The seventeenth annual spring meeting of the Louisville Jockey Club closed yesterday. The Kentucky Triple Event, one mile and one furlong, was won by Longshore, who at the late Lexington meeting won the first of the series of three races, and now only has to win at Latonia to get the special purse for the Triple Event.

First race, one mile, selling—Sir Planet was first; Bob Forsythe, second; Tarquin, third. Time, 1:47¾.

Second race, selling, five furlongs—The Hero won easily; Buckhound, second; Dore, third. Time, 1:06½.

Third race, the Kentucky Triple Event, one mile and one-eighth—Longshore won by a nose; Mabelle, second; Jugurtha, third, fifty lengths away. Time, 2:00.

Fourth race, handicap, purse $500, three-fourths of a mile—Greenwich was first by five lengths; Fakery, second, and Uasilla a very poor third. Time, 1:20.

Fifth race, the Macauley Handicap, one mile and one-sixteenth—Dollikens was first; Parametta, second, and Alphonse, third. Time, 1:52¾.

RACING AT CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 23.—The weather was cold here yesterday, and it rained in the morning, rendering the West Side track heavy. Only about 600 people were in attendance.

First race, purse $500, one and one-sixteenth miles—Hockey won; Atticus, second, Harry Kuhl, third. Time, 2:05¾.

Second race, 2-year-olds, purse $400, one-half mile—Dollie Nobles won; Forsigner, second; Blaze Duke, third. Time, :57½.

Third race, purse $400, 2-year-olds and upwards, three-fourths of a mile—Post Odds won; Climax, second; Bolster, third. Time, 1:27.

Fourth race, purse $400, three-quarters of a mile—Renounce won; Gilford, second; Billy Pinkerton, third. Time, 1:28¾.

Fifth race, purse $450, 3-year-olds, seven-eighths of a mile—Little Scissors won; Blue Banner, second; Altair, third. Time, 1:34¼.

TURF TALK.

Hamilton has signed a contract to ride for Mike Dwyer.

Kinzea Stone holds Kingman at $20,000, and has refused the Ætna stable's offer of $15,000. He goes in the Latonia Derby, and Isaac Murphy will ride him. The Washington Park Club has heard nothing from the Kingman people about a settlement of the Kingman-Balgowan case over the Hyde Park stakes of 1890.

C. W. Williams contemplates matching a team to go for the record. They will be Marshall, 2:17, and Allerton, 2:18½. Both are good actors, and they are expected to go close to 2:18.

E. A. Terry's American trotting colt Cash won the Prix d'Amerique at the Paris meeting recently, trotting two and a half miles in 6:26, a rate of 2:47 per mile.

Senator Stanford's mare Hinda Rose, 2:19½, made as a 3-year-old, and the record when made, is again being trained and will trot some races this year.

Trainers and drivers at fleetwood Park, New York, on Sunday refused to exercise any of the horses in their charge while members of the club were present. This action was taken because of the new rule barring trainers and drivers from the club-house unless they become members of the club and pay the regular club dues.

"White Hat" McCarthy, well known as "Rocky Mountain Joe," the San Francisco horseman, was in Pittsburg recently on his way to California for eighty horses which he will enter in the Eastern races. He wore, as usual, his famous white hat made out of the bark of the calebra tree, and he rejoiced over a good wad of roubles in his pocket which he won on Tenny. Joe recently bought White Hart for $4,000. He says Senator Hearst paid $40,000 for the horse when a yearling. He bid $31,500 for Tournament, but wouldn't go higher.

Memento by John Morgan has foaled a chestnut colt at the Goodwood Stock Farm, St. Louis County. The colt is by Charley Howard, a full brother to the great Harry Barrett. This is the twelfth foal dropped at the Goodwood farm this year, and all except one are living.

The ninth annual meeting of the Latonia Jockey Club opens to-day with the Latonia Derby for 3-year-olds, one mile and a half, as the special feature. There are eight probable starters. Kingman, winner of the Kentucky Derby, will again be ridden by Isaac Murphy; High Tariff, winner of the Clark Stakes, will probably have either Williams or Kiley up; Overton will probably ride Balgowan; Britton, Vallera; McDonald, Georgetown; Boyer, Hart Wallace; Breckinridge, Allen Bane; Bunn, Dickerson, and Taylor, Poet Scout. If all these start it will be the best field of 3-year-olds that have gone to the post in the West this year.

A LONG WALK.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 23.—William H. Welch will start on a long tramp from Chicago to New York to-day to decide a wager of $500. He is to walk the 994 miles of his route in nineteen days, and leaving here will follow the Lake Shore tracks. Two years ago Welch claims to have walked the same distance west in twenty-one days.

BASE BALL.

The Browns gave Pitcher Griffith very poor support in the game at Boston yesterday, and the Beaneaters won by a score of 9 to 7. O'Brien started to pitch for Boston, but gave way to Daley. Boyle for St. Louis and Farrell for Boston were the catchers. The latter and Stricker and Radford played good games and so did McCarthy of St. Louis. Base hits—Boston, 10; St. Louis, 11. Errors—Boston, 1; St. Louis, 5.

At Philadelphia: Cincinnati, 5; Athletics, 3. Base hits—Cincinnati, 7; Athletics, 6. Errors—Cincinnati, 2; Athletics, 3. Batteries—Cincinnati, Dwyer and Vaughn; Athletics, Callahan and McKeogh.

At Baltimore: Baltimore, 15; Columbus, 7. Base hits—Baltimore, —; Columbus, —. Errors—Baltimore, —; Columbus, —. Batteries—Baltimore, Cunningham and Townsend; Columbus, Easton and O'Connor.

At Washington: Washington, 9; Louisville, 6. Base hits—Washington, 13; Louisville, 11. Errors—Washington, 5; Louisville, 1. Batteries—Washington, Foreman and McGuire; Louisville, Daly, Ehret and Ryan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; New York, 3. Base hits—Cincinnati, 10; New York, 11. Errors—Cincinnati, 1; New York, 4. Batteries—Cincinnati, Rhines and Harrington; New York, Welch and Clarke.

At Cleveland: Cleveland, 5, Boston, 3 (eight innings). Base hits—Cleveland, 8; Boston, 10. Errors—Cleveland, 1; Boston, 3. Batteries—Cleveland, Young and Zimmer; Boston, Nichols and Ganzel.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

At Sioux City—Kansas City, 10; Sioux City, 10 (13 innings, draw).

At St. Paul—Denver, 6; St. Paul, 3.

At Minneapolis—Lincoln, 6; Minneapolis, 3.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP RACE.

ASSOCIATION.	P.	W.	L.	Pc.	LEAGUE.	P.	W.	L.	Pc.
Boston	35	25	10	.714	Chicago	25	18	7	.720
Baltimore	32	22	10	.688	Pittsburg	25	14	11	.560
St. Louis	37	21	16	.568	Cleveland	27	14	13	.519
Athletics	32	15	17	.469	Boston	26	13	13	.500
Cincinnati	38	17	21	.447	Philadelphia	26	13	13	.500
Louisville	39	17	22	.436	New York	25	11	14	.440
Columbus	36	14	22	.389	Brooklyn	26	13	16	.385
Washington	31	9	22	.290	Cincinnati	26	10	16	.385

DOINGS OF THE DIAMOND.

Brodie has fairly captured Boston baseball-dom by his fine fielding and batting.

In twenty-one games the Chicagos knocked out fifteen home runs. Ryan leads with four, and Dahlen and Wilmot are credited with three each.

Stivetts has won every game he pitched for St. Louis on the present trip East.

Beckley has a clean fielding record in seventeen games.

Pitcher Shultz of the Philadelphia team will remain in Pittsburg until the Phillies return from the West, except is he wired to join the team.

Jack Glasscock has fallen off in batting. His average is .368 and Buck Ewing's is .750.

Denny Lyons is quite a different player from what he was when a member of the Athletic team. He is not so heavy, much more active and plays a much better fielding game.

BOSTON NOTES.

This is what the Boston papers say about the Browns:

Chris Von der Ahe wept when he heard of Von Moltke's death. Chris says the German General was the only German who had won as much fame as himself.

Comiskey has a new wrinkle this year. When a bunter is at the bat his catcher plays on foul ground toward third base, and the umpire is utilized to return balls the batsman lets go by.

The St. Louis Browns broke the record for the season's attendance in Baltimore last week. In three days they played to nearly 20,000 people. Will they do as well in Boston?

Here is what a Baltimore paper says of Stivetts, the St. Louis pitcher: "He has a very peculiar delivery. He is a genuine contortionist, and fools the batmen. There is only one way to meet him, and that is to stand up at the plate and bat him. The balls came over as big as a cannon ball, but the Orioles pulled away from them, because of Stivetts' fancy motions. This is one reason why they did not hit him."

SPORTING NOTES.

Nicaragua is not often hailed as a paradise for pugs, but there I where Tommy Warren has gone.

Canadian ladies are to play cricket this summer. The edict has gone forth and a match is arranged between the fair elevens of Toronto and Hamilton. Such fixtures are by no means unusual in Great Britain and India.

The relations between Slavin and Mitchell are said to be badly strained. Some night the audience may see a regular fight instead of a sparring match at one of their exhibitions.

All Yale men are sympathizing with Sherrill, the sprinter. His accident at Cambridge Saturday brings to mind the fact that he had decided to give up all athletics and only entered this year to save Yale, if possible, from utter defeat. Not until two weeks ago did he consent to once more go on the track. In justice to Sherrill it can be truthfully said that he took this step through pure loyalty to his college, and that he again broke down will not detract anything from the splendid reputation that he has made as a sprinter during his course at Yale. Sherrill is confined to his room and will probably not be able to attend recitations for several weeks.

Boston has a Chinese pug, a 118-pounder, named John Lee. Mr. Lee was born in Shanghai in 1861. When but 19 years old he showed a desire to figure as a fighter and when 14 years of age he won six victories. All the battles were fought according to the Chinese style, which permits biting, scratch-kicking, butting and in fact everything by which one opponent can stop another.

MISSOURI MATTERS.

Recovered Her 5-Year-Old Boy—Doubly Wedded—Suburban News.

SEDALIA, Mo., May 23.—Mrs. Chas. Clark returned from Kansas City last night with her little 5-year-old son, whom his father had carried to Kansas City with him the day before. The parents could not get along peaceably together and so they separated, the husband removing to Kansas City, where he is now employed in a railroad office.

FROM FERGUSON.

FERGUSON, Mo., May 23.—Mr. Robert O. Gilbert will leave to-day for Kansas.

Mrs. Ernest Smith spent Thursday and Friday in Kirkwood, Mo., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Tiffin left last night for St. Joseph, Mo., on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Hearn.

Mr. Wm. Blackburn is in Ferguson visiting relatives.

Miss Louise B. Reid, who, since last fall, has been attending Ward's Seminary for young ladies in Nashville, Tenn., is expected home next week.

Mr. John A. Neidlinger has commenced work on the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. It is to be completed by August 1.

Mr. David Eiseman of St. Louis has moved his family to Ferguson for the summer, and are boarding at Mr. Dave Schultz's.

Mr. Moseley and family of St. Louis will move to Ferguson about the 1st of June.

Miss Alice Yeaman, who has been visiting relatives in Columbia, Mo., is expected home Monday.

Mr. Emmet Thoroughman, who for the past week has been in Franklin County, Mo., has returned.

Mr. Houston of St. Louis will move his family to Ferguson for the summer the latter part of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Gause left Friday night for Missouri, being called by the death of Mrs. Gause's father, Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Luther Smith, an old resident of this place, visited friends here this week.

FROM CLARKSVILLE.

CLARKSVILLE, Mo., May 23.—Capt. Lee A. Hall of St. Louis was here yesterday. A. L. Richards, United States Engineer of Quincy, Ill., was here yesterday. Capt. J. S. Ruppner and his fleet are doing some fine work on the dam opposite this city. About twenty thousand cubic yards of material have already been used. W. S. Long and wife of Nelvo, Ill., were here this week. Ben Welch of Elsberry was here yesterday. The Clarksville Boat Club are building a handsome steam yacht, which will be completed by June 15. She will be 40 feet long, 8-foot beam and 2½-foot pole. A letter from Buxton & Skinner, lithographers of St. Louis, pronounced the lithograph stone from this city as first-class, and soon a large force of men will be put to work taking out the stone. Howard Norris and Robert Kelly are back from Elsberry. Preparations are being made to have a big celebration here on the Fourth of July. W. H. Campbell, Jr., of Bowling Green was here this week. Department Labor Commissioner Grar was here yesterday. Gordon Mayes of Kansas City was here this week. Charley Haley and Charles Mackey were here this week. A washout just south of this city Wednesday night delayed the north-bound trains several hours. The river rose two feet last night, but is now on a stand. Miss Lucy Elgin is home from Hannibal. John Fern is visiting in Carrollton, Ill.

FROM ST. CHARLES.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., May 23.—The Misses Walker entertained the Progressive Euchre Club Thursday night. Miss Annie Shaw of St. Louis is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charlotte Shaw. Mr. and Mrs. Wright are entertaining his sister, Miss Wright of Little Rock, at their home on Clark street. The Young Ladies' Informal met Thursday afternoon at the Misses McDearmon's home on Third street. Mrs. Fox and little son of St. Louis are visiting Mrs. Ed L. Fulkerson of this place. Miss Lyons, who has been spending the winter in San Antonio, is here on a visit to her brother, Mr. Dan Easton of St. Louis visited Mrs. M. A. Walker here this week. Miss Laura Hilgerd of South St. Louis is visiting relatives here for several weeks. Next Sunday will be observed as Children's day in the Methodist Church, on Clay street. Rev. Dr. W. H. Lewis will make the address. A gymnastic drill was given this morning by the young ladies at Lindenwood. Mr. Benjamin Emmons and little son left this week for California to be absent until the middle of June. Mr. Grant Arnold of Colorado has been visiting St. Charles friends. Dr. Henry has returned from Chicago. Mrs. Hildebrand will visit her daughter soon in New York City. Mr. J. C. Holmes returned home this week from Denver, Colo., where he has been on a short visit.

DOUBLE MARRIAGE CEREMONY.

CLINTON, Mo., May 23.—Walter Graham and Bessie Graham, a handsome young man and pretty, cooing young girl, both living at Calhoun, a small town in the county, ran away to Vinita, I. T., and were married. The parents forgave the hasty young couple, but desired to see that another ceremony be performed, which was done inside of forty-eight hours after the first one.

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Silver in Alabama.

MOBILE, Ala., May 23.—The discovery of a vein of silver-bearing galena ore is reported from Pickens County, Ala. The discovery was made in sinking a well in the northern portion of the county and in a district known as Liberty Hills, not far from the survey for the Mobile & Ohio Railway Co.'s branch from Columbus, Miss., to Tuscaloosa, Ala.

INSIST on your grocer giving you what you want and ask for Whittaker's Star Breakfast Bacon.

The Davis Will Case.

BUTTE, Mont., May 23.—The attorneys in the Davis contested will case have agreed to a further continuance of the case from June 22 to July 13, and that if application is made for a still further continuance, it must be presented to the court before July 8.

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ILLINOIS NEWS.

Stronghold of the University Extension Society—Neighborhood Topics.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Chicago is to be a stronghold of the University Extension Society. This was decided at a meeting of prominent citizens and educators held here yesterday. It is thought probable that many branches throughout the surrounding States will be organized. The meeting resulted in the appointment of a committee to formulate a scheme of organizations. The committee includes W. G. Pool, Dr. N. S. Naves, Franklin MacVeagh, President Henry Wade Rogers of the Northwestern University; President W. R. Harper, Chicago University; President S. H. Peabody, Illinois Agricultural College; President W. O. Robert, Lake Forest University.

FROM MASCOUTAH.

MASCOUTAH, Ill., May 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Schaefer attended the Chesney-Schaurer wedding at Nashville, Wednesday. Mrs. Charles Schwalb and children left yesterday for Denver, Colo. Mr. Chas. Link, a prominent F. M. A. delegate from Emporia, Kan., is visiting his mother in this city. Mrs. John Winkler, a highly esteemed lady of this city, is dangerously ill. The Catholic Church fair held at St. Libory this week closed Wednesday. A neat sum was netted for the Catholic Church schools of St. Libory.

The Social Socratic Society will present the drama, "Mullie, or Sweet Sixteen," at the Opera-house this evening. The proceeds will go to the Public-school picnic fund.

The Pastecost ball, given by the Central Turnverein at the Turner Hall last Monday evening, was largely attended. Feosold's Band of Lebanon furnished music for the occasion.

Mrs. M. K. Barth will shortly leave for Salida, Colo., where she will permanently reside.

FROM NOKOMIS.

NOKOMIS, Ill., May 23.—E. E. Brown has accepted a position in Rockford.

Mrs. F. M. Jett is visiting relatives at Hillsboro.

Mrs. Caddy of Chicago is visiting Miss Anna Dorey.

Miss May Minchella has returned to her home in Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunkill are guests of relatives in Cedar Rapids, Io.

Mrs. Will Schaper is visiting at Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Mary Beck is visiting her parents at Nashville.

Miss Maggie Easterday has returned to her home in Vandalia after a pleasant visit with Miss Effie Latimer.

J. Woltman & Co. are making arrangements to erect a new brick store room.

Mrs. J. W. Wild is the guest of Mrs. H. Kaupp at 1632 Hickory street, St. Louis.

In the oratorical contest at the Opera-house last Friday evening the first prize was won by Miss Kate Belknap, and the second by Miss Mae Osborne.

AFTER A SLICE OF PEORIA.

PEORIA, Ill., May 23.—Attorneys from Bordeaux, France, representing the heirs of Philip Francis Renaud, are here locating land granted Renaud by the West India Co. when Peoria was nothing but a prairie. It is claimed that half of this city is built on the Renaud claim. The attorneys also claim a portion of St. Louis. They are to establish the boundaries and will lay the matter before Congress.

CHANGE OF TIME

Via Missouri Pacific Railway.

Commencing May 24, Missouri Pacific trains will run as follows: Leave Union Depot, Local Express, 7:55 a. m.; Day Express, 9 a. m.; Fast Line, 8:20 p. m.; Colorado Express, 9:30 p. m., instead of 9:15 p. m.; Kirkwood 5:50 p. m. train changed to daily except Sunday, 6:30 p. m. train daily. Returning, train leaving Kirkwood 6:50 p. m. runs daily except Sunday, and special Saturday and Sunday train leaves Kirkwood 7:45 p. m., making all stops; Creve Cœur Lake trains leave Union Depot daily 6 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 4:25 p. m., and extra trains on Sunday at 8 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.; leave the lake daily at 7:10 a. m., 11:35 a. m., 2:50 p. m., 6 p. m., and extras on Sunday at 10:10 a. m., 7:10 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. Low rates on coaches for picnics week days at Creve Cœur Lake.

Ticket offices, 102 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

Claims the Annuity.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 23.—Robert C. Howe, for many years agent of the New York Life Insurance Co. here, has sued the company for $30,000 damages. The company upon his retirement was to pay him an annuity of $2,500 for his services, and has discontinued payment. He claims the annuity was for life, though the contract at his retirement does not read so.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething gives quiet helpful rest. 25c a bottle.

Cable Collision.

A motor car of the Lindell line was thrown from the track and damaged to the amount of $25 in a collision with a Citizens' line cable car at Easton and Vandeventer avenues yesterday morning.

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Don't think because you have been successful in one thing you can succeed in all! Few people succeed even in one thing.

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